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Because *Knights of the Zodiac* is very popular in France, a journalist arrived from Paris the other day on assignment. He told me that he was returning to Paris the next day, and then, five days after that, he would be reporting for duty for his mandatory military service. The pen he was gripping just then would be replaced by a rifle.

I felt so fortunate that I could keep gripping a pen, and that I wouldn't be forced to carry a killing instrument...

Masami Kurumada-1989



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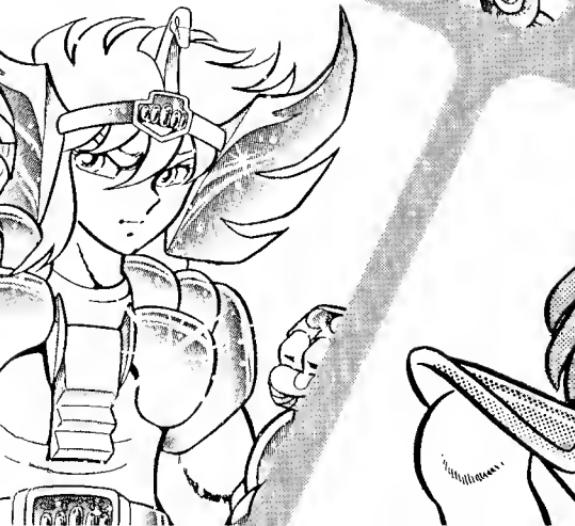


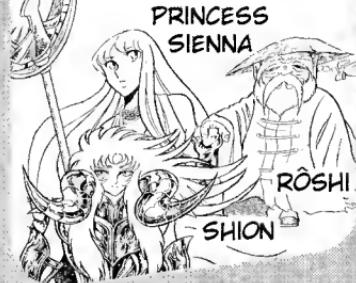
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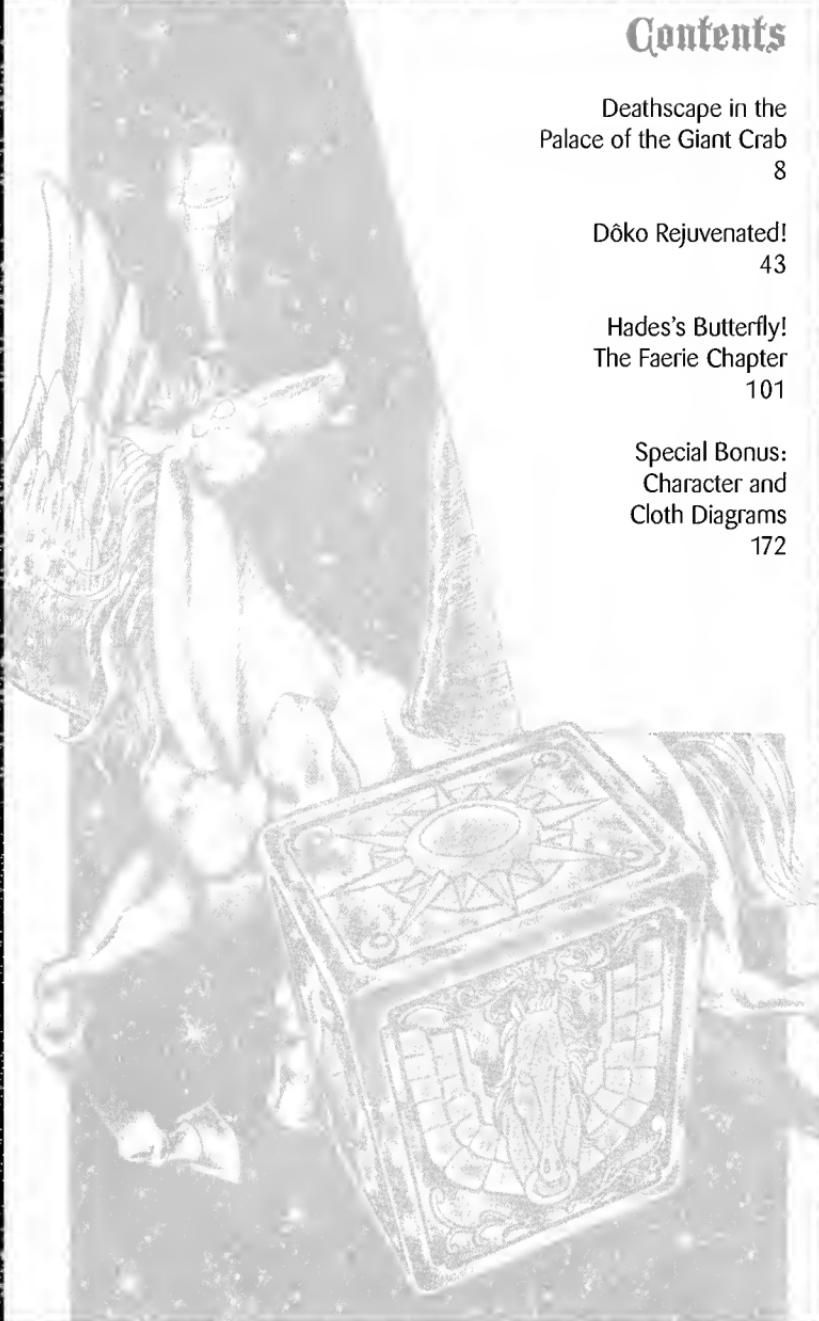
LEGENDS SPEAK OF YOUNG MEN WHO  
PROTECTED THE GREEK GODDESS ATHENA.  
KNOWN AS ATHENA'S KNIGHTS, THEY WERE SAID TO  
WIELD PUNICHS THAT CRACKED THE SKY AND KICKS  
THAT SPLIT THE EARTH.

TO RAISE WARRIOR WITH THE STRENGTH TO FIGHT  
FOR PRINCESS SIENNA, THE INCARNATION OF ATHENA,  
LORD NOBU OF THE GRANDE FOUNDATION SENT 100  
BOYS OUT INTO THE WORLD TO TRAIN AS KNIGHTS.  
FOUR BRONZE KNIGHTS--SEIYA, HYÔGA, SHIRYÛ, AND  
SHUN--SUCCEEDED BRILLIANTLY IN THEIR TRAINING. AT  
SANCTUARY, THE HEADQUARTERS OF KNIGHTHOOD,  
THEY FOUGHT THE 12 GOLD KNIGHTS IN ORDER TO  
CONFRONT THE CORRUPT MASTER OF SANCTUARY,  
GEMINI KNIGHT SAGA. IN THE END, SAGA TOOK HIS  
OWN LIFE, BRINGING THE BATTLE FOR SANCTUARY TO  
A CLOSE. BEFORE THE BRONZE KNIGHTS COULD  
RECOVER FROM THEIR INJURIES, THE SEA GOD  
POSEIDON AROSE TO THREATEN THE WORLD WITH  
DESTRUCTION. THE BRONZE KNIGHTS DEFEATED  
POSEIDON AND HIS FORCES AS WELL.

NOW HADES, THE GOD OF THE UNDERWORLD, HAS  
AWAKENED AND SET OUT TO CONQUER THE EARTH.  
THE SPECTERS, UNDEAD WARRIOR OF HADES, HAVE  
INVADED SANCTUARY TO TAKE ATHENA'S HEAD.  
AND AMONG THESE SPECTERS ARE THE  
GOLD KNIGHTS WHO FELL IN BATTLE...

## THE STORY THUS FAR

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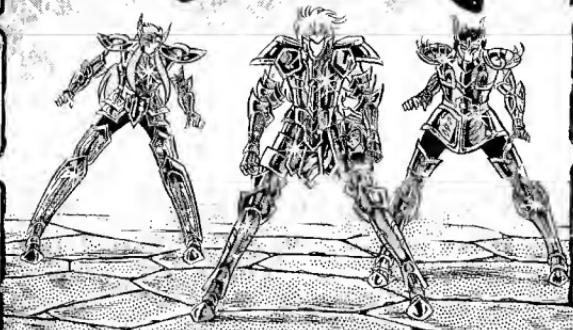


**PAPILLON**  
**VS.**  
**ARIES**



# DEATHSCAPE IN THE PALACE OF THE GIANT CRAB

THE PALACE  
OF THE GIANT  
CRAB IS SUPPOSED  
TO BE EMPTY!  
WHAT'S THIS  
HUGE COSMO?



YOU'RE  
RIGHT. IT  
FEELS LIKE  
WE'RE  
STANDING  
ON THE  
THRESHOLD  
OF THE  
UNDERWORLD.

NO...  
IT'S MORE  
LIKE AN  
AURA OF  
DEATH...

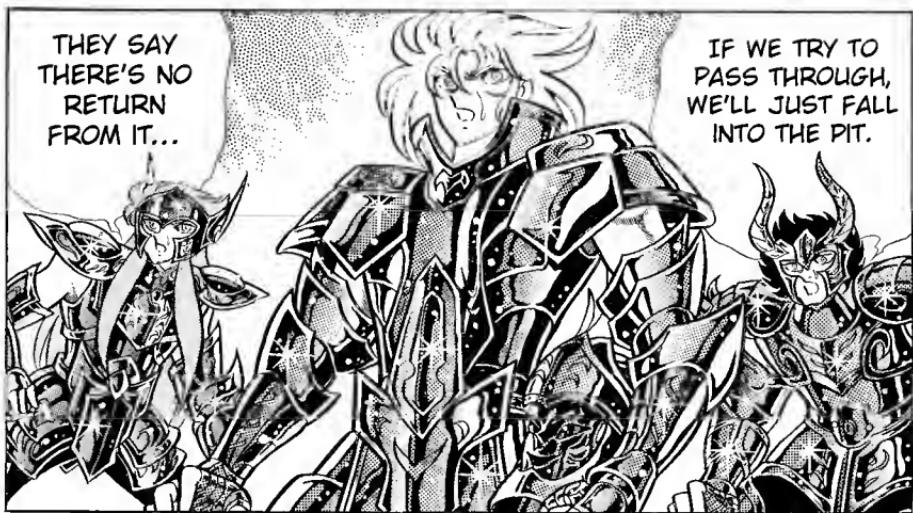


**IT'S  
YOMOTSU-  
HIRASAKA!!**



THEY SAY  
THERE'S NO  
RETURN  
FROM IT...

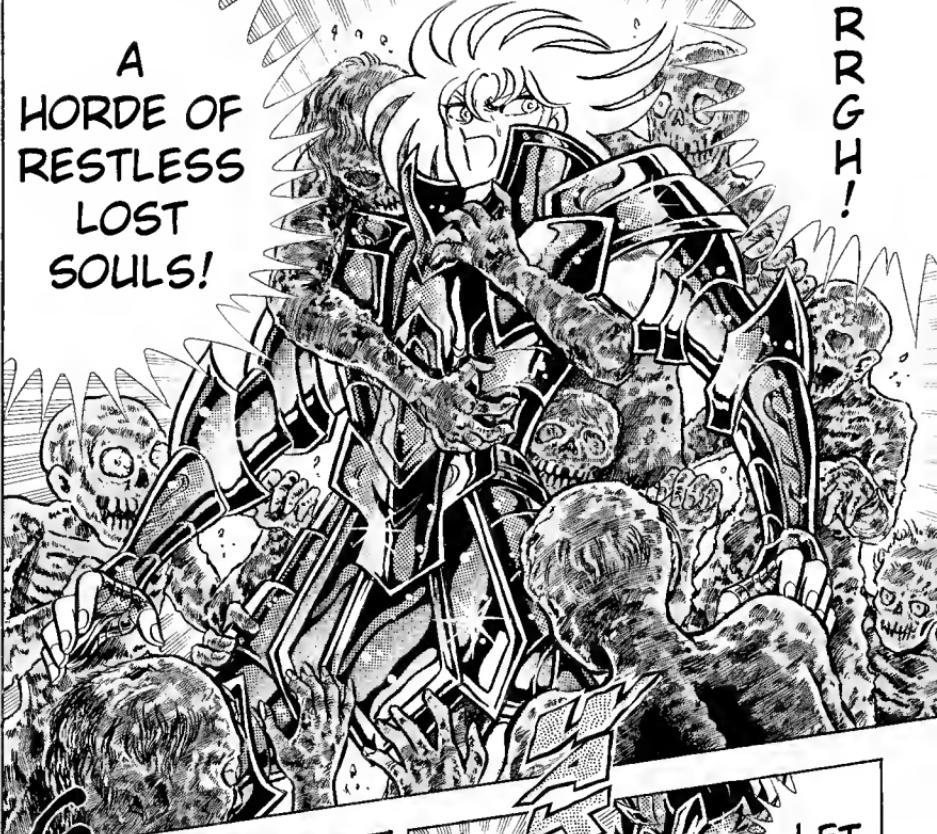
IF WE TRY TO  
PASS THROUGH,  
WE'LL JUST FALL  
INTO THE PIT.

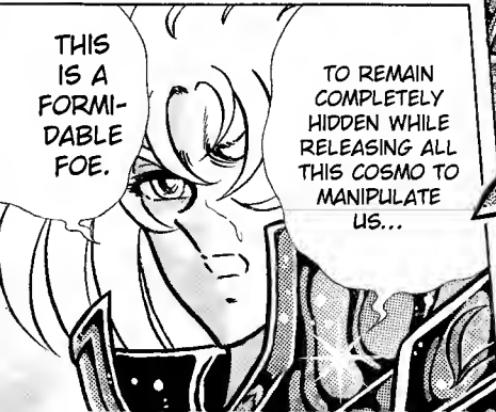


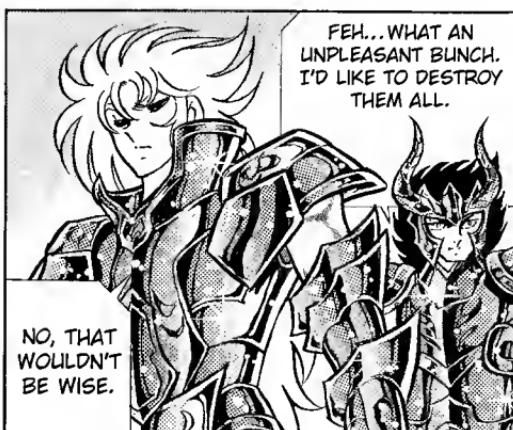


A  
HORDE OF  
RESTLESS  
LOST  
SOULS!

ARRGH!







# TO ATHENA!!



...TO MEN  
WHO HAVE  
RETURNED  
FROM THE  
UNDER-  
WORLD IS  
A SICK  
JOKE!

I DON'T  
KNOW WHO  
CREATED IT,  
BUT  
SHOWING  
YOMOTSU-  
HIRASAKA...



TAKE  
THIS!!

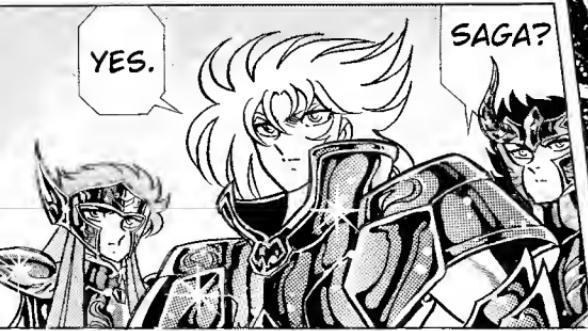
ALL  
RIGHT!  
I'M GOING  
TO BLAST  
THIS  
ILLUSION  
AWAY!

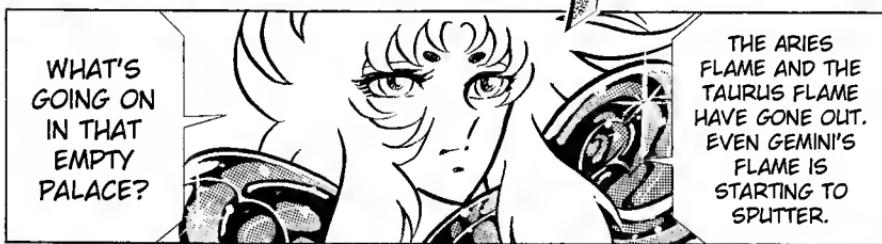
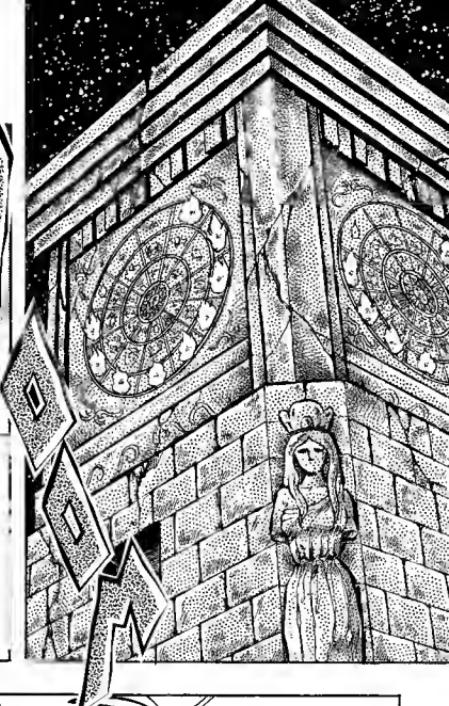
GALAXIAN  
EXPLO-  
SION!!

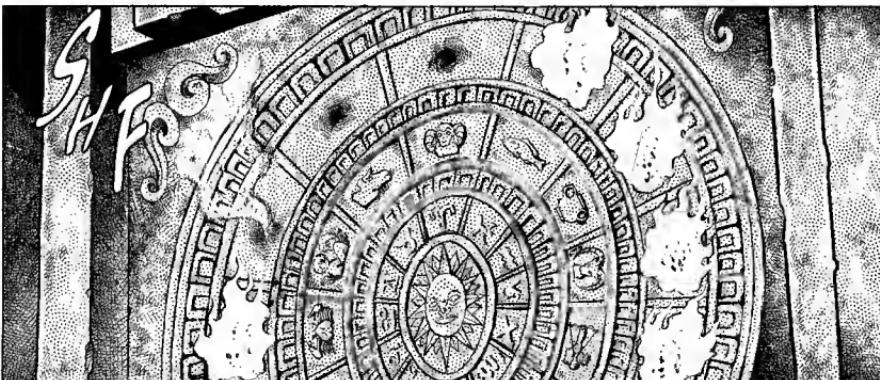


THE  
ILLU-  
SION'S  
GONE!

HE  
DID IT!





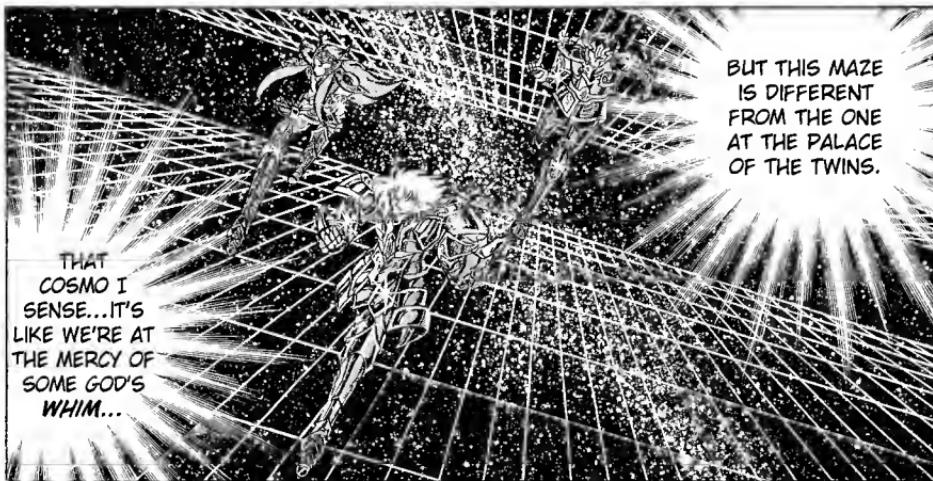




EITHER WAY, WE HAVEN'T FOUND AN EXIT. WE'VE FALLEN FOR ANOTHER ILLUSION.

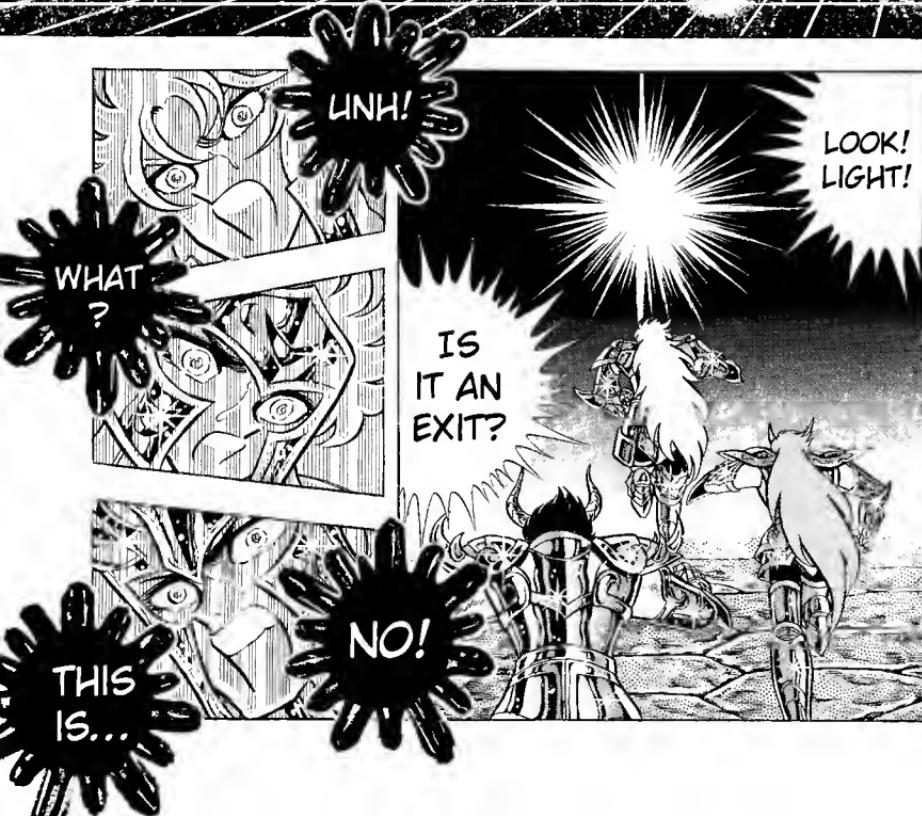
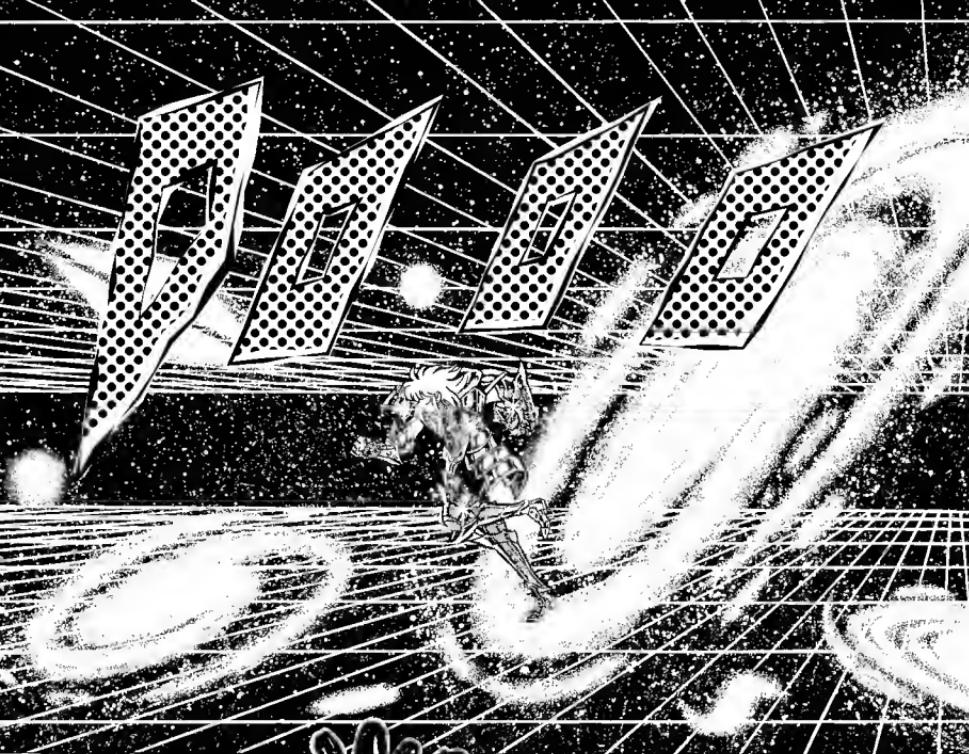
BUT AT THE SAME TIME, IT'S LIKE ONLY MINUTES HAVE PASSED...

I FEEL LIKE WE'VE BEEN RUNNING AROUND THIS PALACE FOR DAYS.



THAT COSMO I SENSE...IT'S LIKE WE'RE AT THE MERCY OF SOME GOD'S WHIM...

BUT THIS MAZE IS DIFFERENT FROM THE ONE AT THE PALACE OF THE TWINS.





**BUDDHA'S  
PALM!!**

READ THIS WAY

THEY'RE TELLING US THAT, TO THE GODS, THAT DISTANCE IS ONLY THE SPAN OF A PALM...

NO! IT FELT LIKE WE WERE RUNNING FOR DAYS...

WFF

WFF

WFF

...IS BEHIND THIS GAME?

ARRGH... WHO IN THE WORLD...

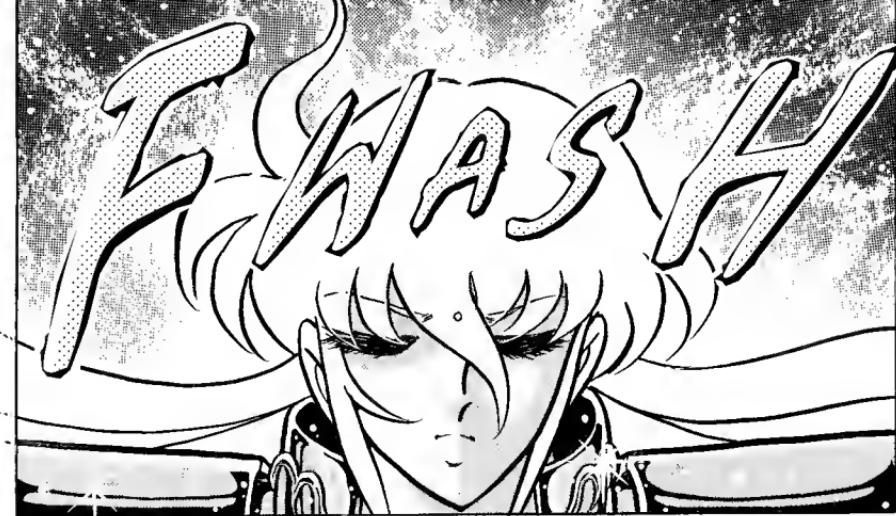
EVEN IN SANCTUARY, THERE'S ONLY ONE MAN WHO COULD PULL OFF SOMETHING LIKE THIS.

I KNOW NOW.

VIRGO  
SHAKA  
!!

THE  
MOST  
GODLIKE  
MAN!

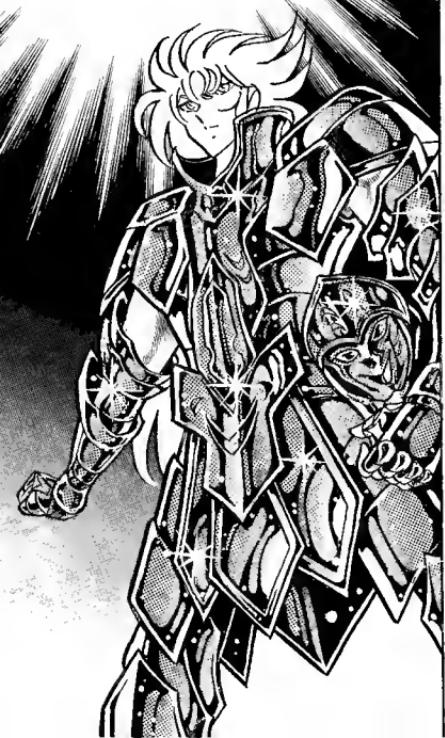




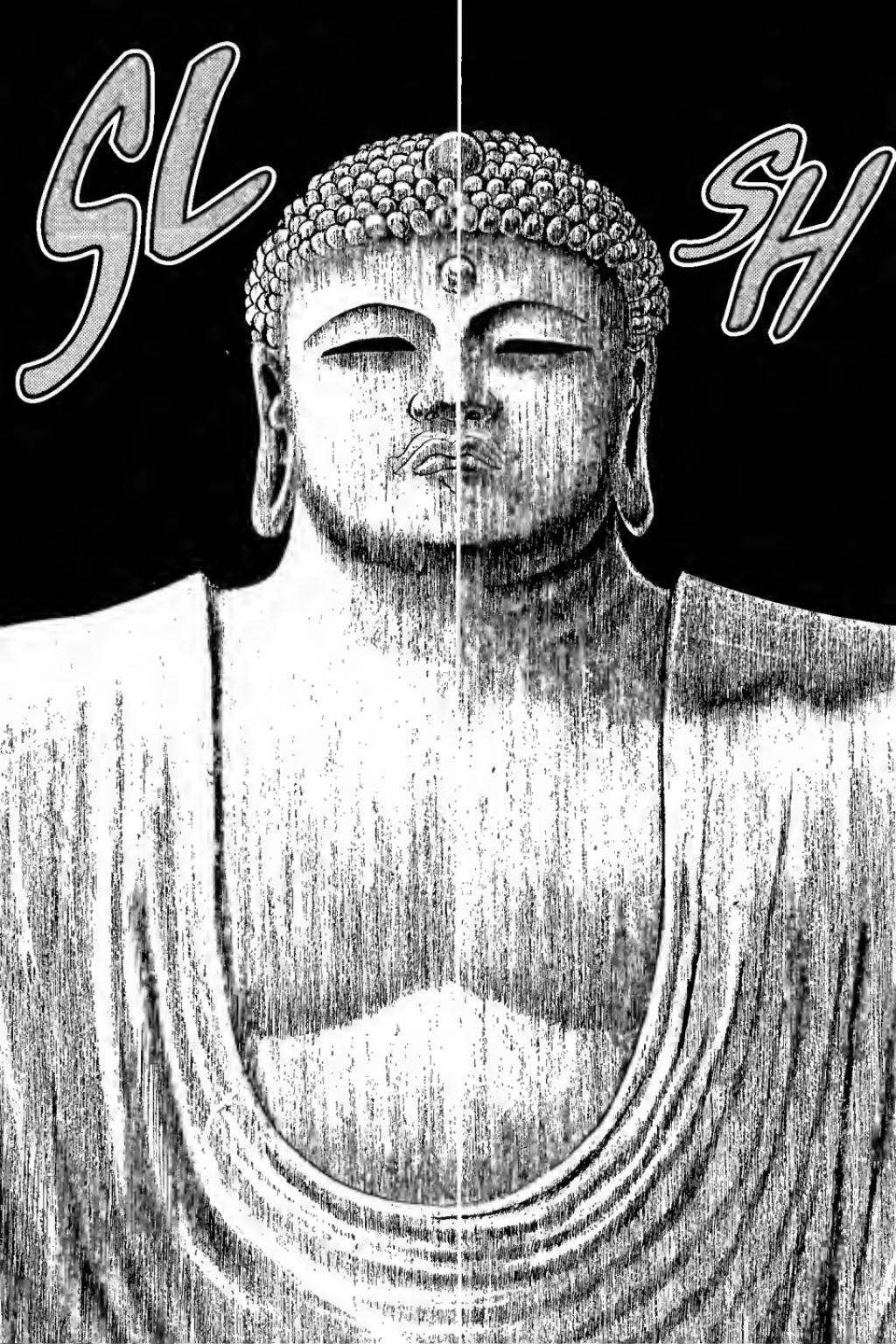
I WON'T  
LET YOU GET  
AWAY WITH  
THIS, SHAKA!

ARE YOU SAYING  
HE'S BEEN TOYING  
WITH US FROM  
THE PALACE OF  
THE MAIDEN?

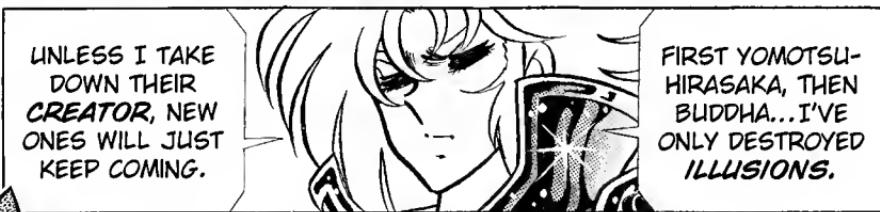
SHAKA?











THEY GO  
ON FOREVER!  
THERE'S  
NOWHERE TO  
RUN!

WHOA!  
MULTIPLE  
ILLUSIONS  
THIS TIME!!



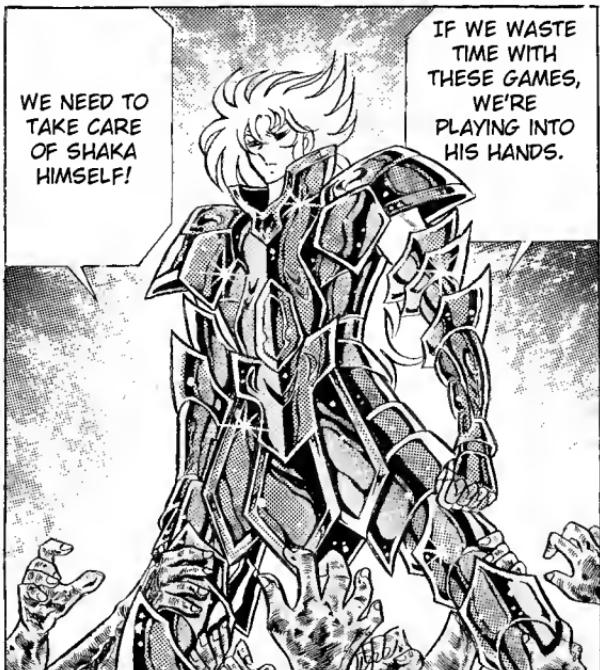
HE WANTS  
TO TRAP  
US IN THE  
PALACE  
FOREVER!

SHAKA REALLY  
DOESN'T WANT  
TO LET US OUT  
OF HERE!

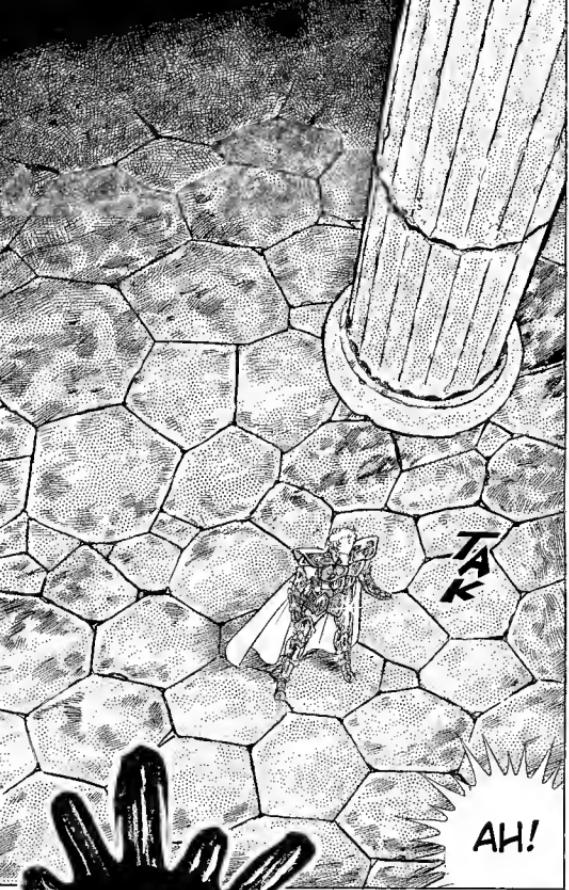
HE'S  
PROBABLY  
JUST  
TRYING TO  
BUY TIME  
UNTIL  
THE FIRE  
CLOCK  
GOES  
OUT.

NO...I  
REALLY  
DON'T  
THINK HE'S  
THOUGHT  
AHEAD  
THAT FAR.







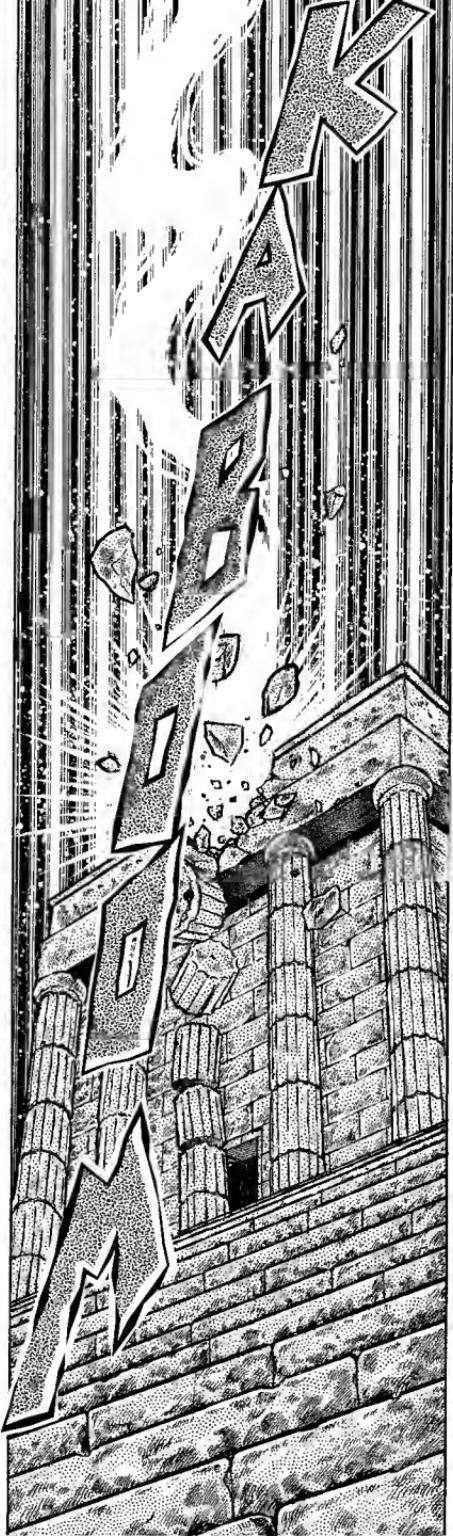


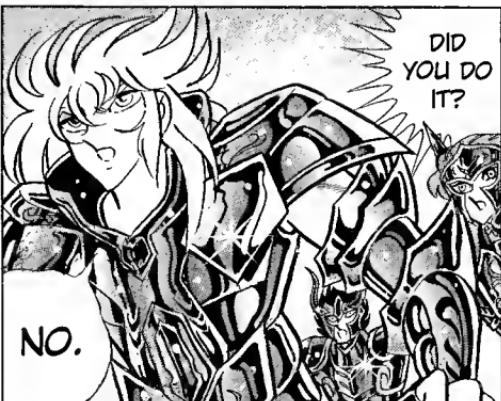
THIS TIME IT'S HEADED STRAIGHT FOR THE PALACE OF THE MAIDEN!

A POWERFUL COSMO HAS SHOT UP FROM THE PALACE OF THE GIANT CRAB!

IT'S AS MASSIVE AS THE ONE THAT FELL UPON THE MASTER'S CHAMBERS!



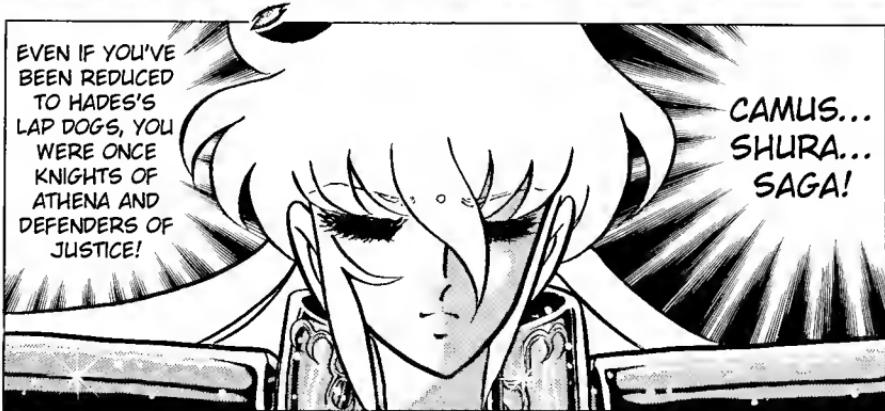






EVEN IF YOU'VE  
BEEN REDUCED  
TO HADES'S  
LAP DOGS, YOU  
WERE ONCE  
KNIGHTS OF  
ATHENA AND  
DEFENDERS OF  
JUSTICE!

CAMUS...  
SHURA...  
SAGA!



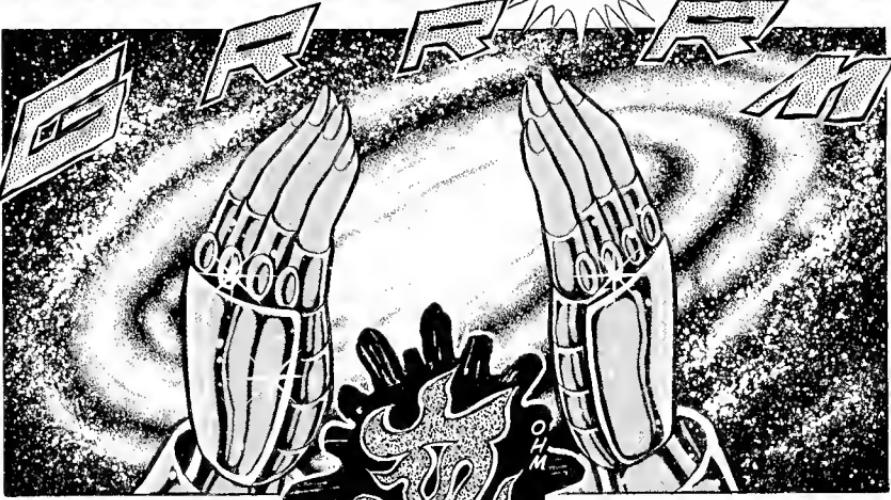
...BUT IT  
SEEMS I HAVE  
NO CHOICE BUT  
TO STRIKE YOU  
DOWN AS  
TRAITORS!

I'D HOPED  
TO SIMPLY  
DETAIN  
YOU...

SHAKA'S  
COSMO IS  
STARTING TO  
COMBUST TO  
ITS MAXIMUM  
!!

WHAT?

UNH!







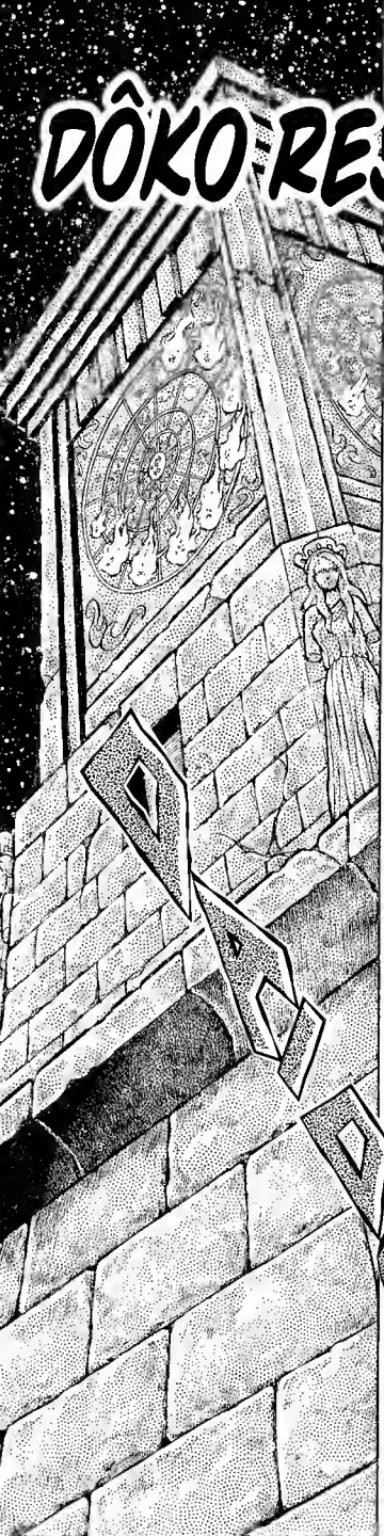
**DEMON  
CAPITU-  
LATION  
!!**

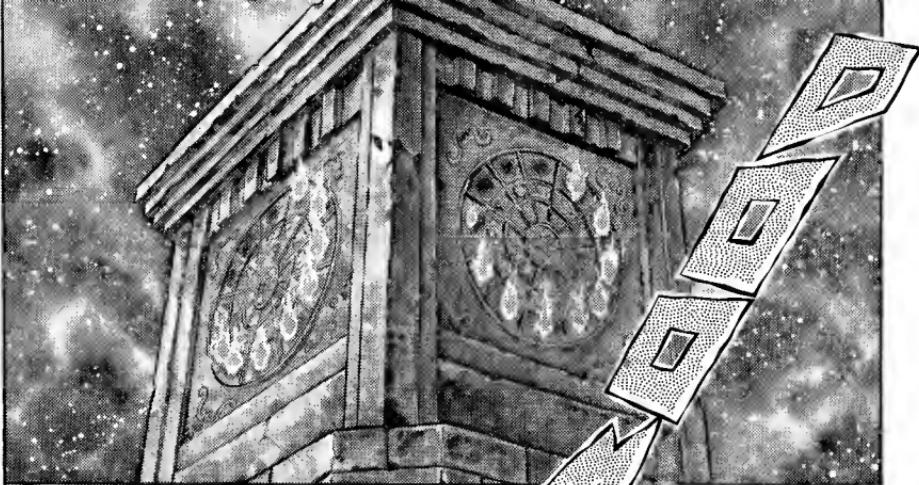






# DÔKO REJUVENATED!







THE  
PALACE OF  
THE CRAB  
IS IN  
RUINS!

I CAN'T  
BELIEVE  
THEY  
WERE  
BLOWN TO  
BITS,  
WITHOUT A  
TRACE...

BUT  
WHERE  
DID SAGA  
AND THE  
OTHERS  
GO?

SO THIS IS  
THE POWER  
OF SHAKA'S  
DEMON  
CAPITULA-  
TION!

NO! IT  
CAN'T  
BE!

WHAT  
TERRIFY-  
ING  
FORCE...



RÔSHI?  
WHAT'S  
WRONG?

TU

I TOLD  
SUNREI NOT  
TO LET YOU  
LEAVE  
GOROHO.

YOU ARE  
SIGHTLESS!  
WHY ARE  
YOU HERE?

ARRGH!

WHY ARE WE  
BRONZES BEING  
SHUT OUT WHEN  
SANCTUARY IS IN  
DANGER?

WHAT DO YOU  
MEAN? I WAS  
GOING TO ASK  
YOU THE SAME  
THING!

CAN'T YOU  
UNDERSTAND  
ATHENA'S  
COMPASSION-  
ATE DESIRE  
TO LET YOU  
REST?

LISTEN  
CLOSELY,  
SHIRYÜ. YOU  
HAVE ALREADY  
FOUGHT LONG  
AND HARD  
FOR US.

IT IS ALL  
ATHENA'S  
WILL.

R...  
RÔSHI  
...

...NOT  
EVEN  
ATHENA.

NO ONE IS  
LIKELY TO  
SURVIVE THIS  
BATTLE...

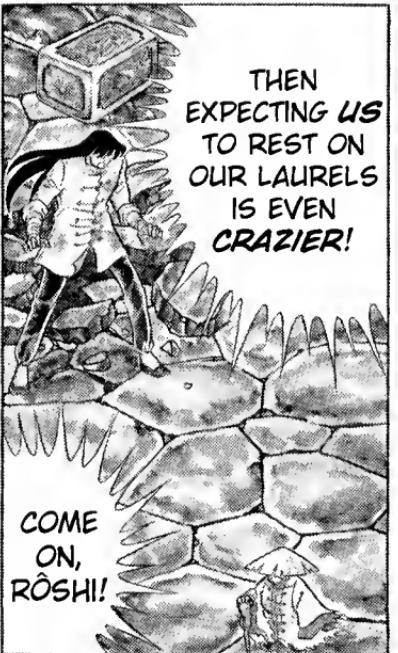


EVEN  
YOU'VE  
BEEN  
FORCED  
BACK  
INTO  
BATTLE!

NO, I  
CAN'T!  
HOW CAN  
WE REST  
EASY?



SHE  
DOES NOT  
WANT YOU  
TO DIE.



THEN  
EXPECTING US  
TO REST ON  
OUR LAURELS  
IS EVEN  
CRAZIER!



ARE YOU  
SAYING  
EVEN  
ATHENA  
IS GOING  
TO DIE?

THAT'S  
RIGHT. SHE IS  
PREPARED TO  
DIE AGAINST  
HADES.



IT IS NOBLE  
TO BATTLE  
FOR JUSTICE  
AND TO SAVE  
MANKIND...

IF YOU  
DIED, SUNREI  
WOULD BE  
DEVASTATED.

SHIRYÛ, IS  
IT SO HARD  
FOR YOU TO  
UNDERSTAND  
LOVE?

WHAT  
?

...TO  
LOVE  
SOMEONE,  
EVEN IF IT  
TURNS  
THE  
WORLD  
AGAINST  
YOU!

...BUT I  
BELIEVE IT  
IS JUST AS  
EXALTED...

FORGIVE  
ME...I'M  
STILL  
UNWORTHY.

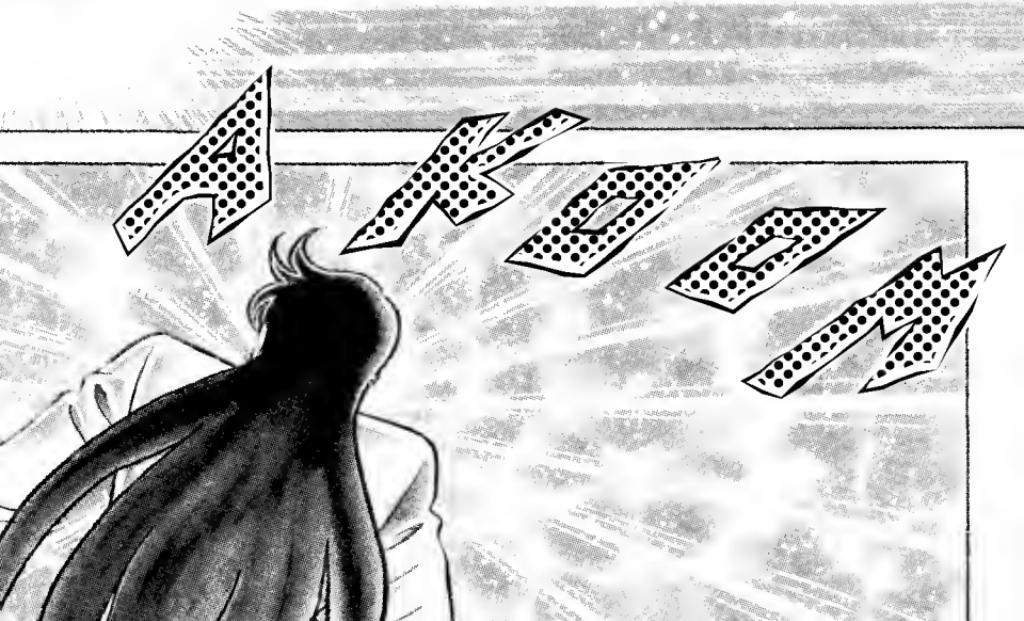
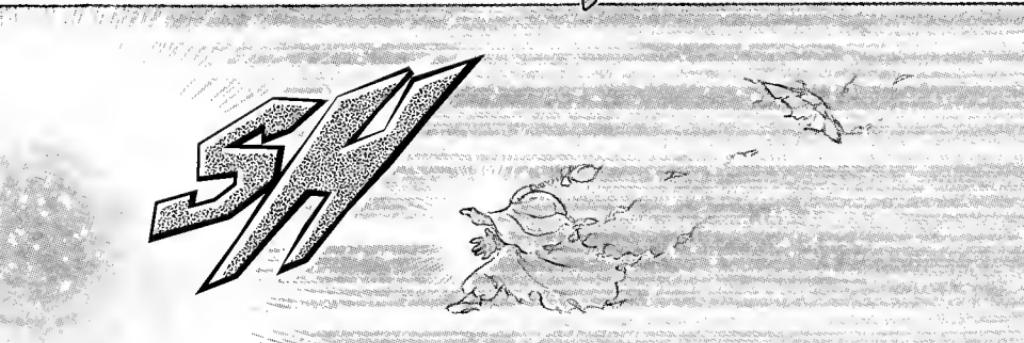
...I  
DON'T  
GET  
IT.

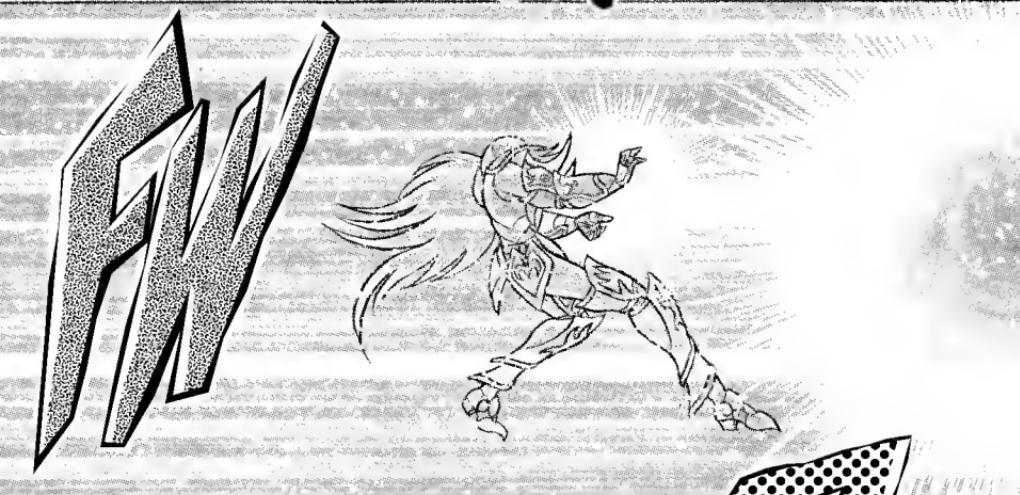
RÔSHI  
...

WELL,  
SHIRYÛ?









IT LOOKS  
LIKE THEY'RE  
PERFECTLY  
MATCHED IN  
STRENGTH!

I CAN SENSE  
THEIR POWERS  
SMOLDERING  
IN THE SPACE  
BETWEEN  
THEM!!



READ  
THIS WAY



IN YOUR  
FEEBLE  
STATE,  
YOU  
CANNOT  
WIN!

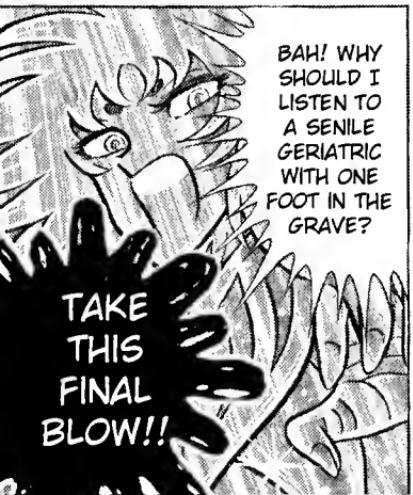
UNH!

ALL THAT  
POWER  
IS NOW  
SURGING  
TOWARDS  
RÔSHI!!

RÔSHI!!



READ  
THIS  
WAY





DIE ONCE  
AGAIN AND  
BECOME  
THE SHION  
OF OLD!!

I AM  
DEEPLY  
SAD-  
DENED,  
SHION...

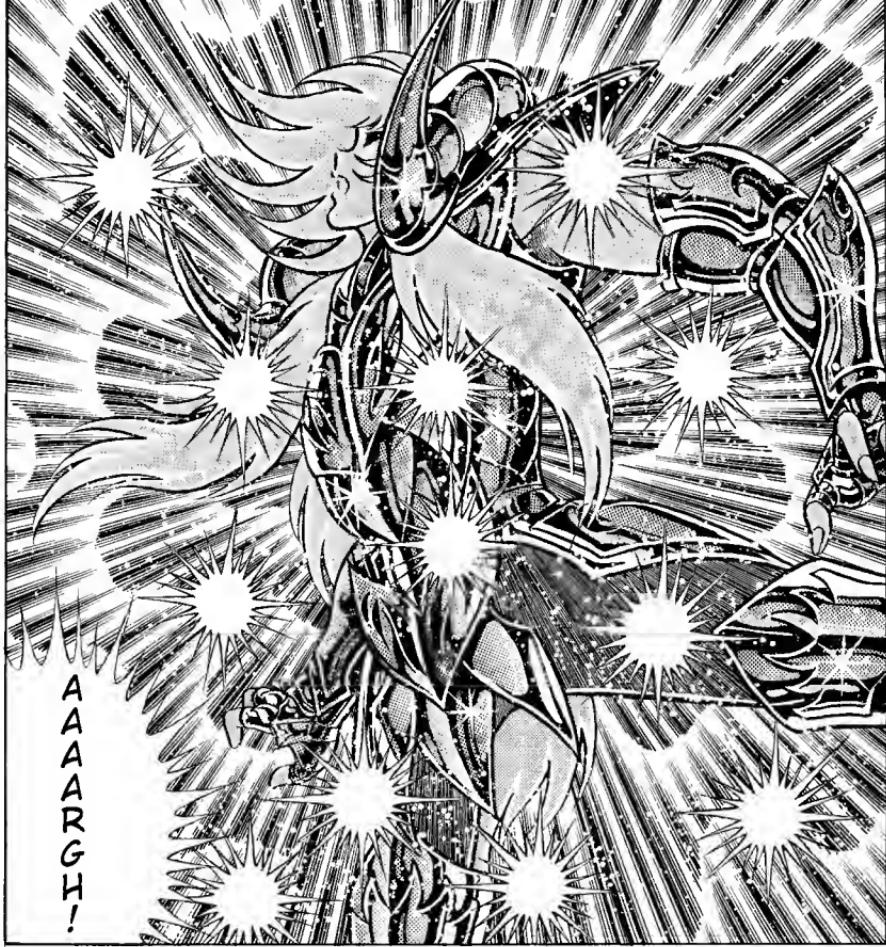
THAT SUCH A  
GREAT MAN AS  
YOU...COULD  
FALL PREY TO  
SUCH BASE  
DESIRERS...

DÔKO...  
YOU...

**ROZAN'S  
100  
DRAGONS  
BLOW!**

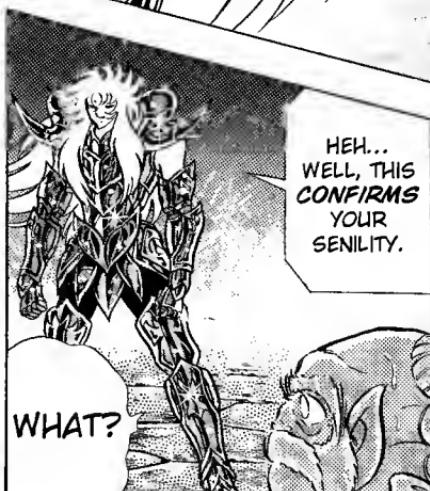




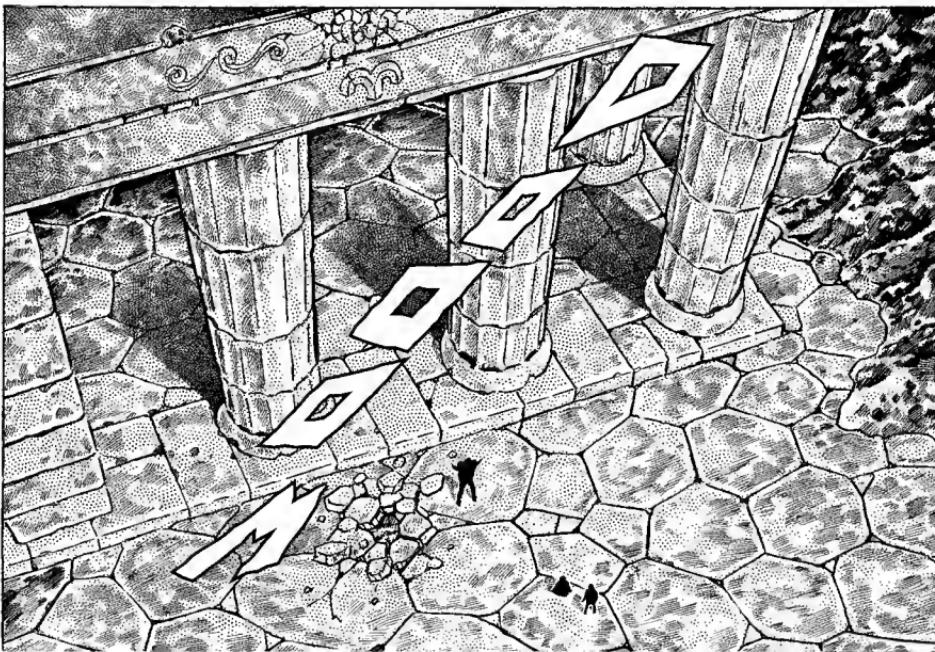




BACK IN  
THE DAY,  
THAT ONE  
BLOW  
WOULD'VE  
BEEN  
ENOUGH TO  
TAKE ME  
DOWN.







READ  
THIS  
WAY

THAT'S RIGHT!  
NOW THAT  
YOU UNDER-  
STAND, GO  
OBEDIENTLY  
TO YOUR  
DEATH!

HMPH!

A HUGE  
COSMO IS  
RISING  
FROM  
SHION'S  
BODY!

DÔKO, YOU SHOULD  
KNOW BETTER  
THAN ANYONE THAT  
NO MAN SWEEP  
INTO THIS  
MAELSTROM CAN  
ESCAPE IT ALIVE!!

DIE,  
DÔKO  
!!



STAR-  
DUST  
REVOLU-  
TION!!





READ  
THIS  
WAY





TAKE  
THIS!  
**ROZAN'S  
RISING  
DRAGON  
BLOW!!**





A KNIGHT  
OF ATHENA,  
SWORN TO  
DEFEND  
JUSTICE  
AND PEACE!

RÔSHI,  
I'M A  
KNIGHT.

SHIRYÛ  
...

IF YOU TELL  
ME NOT TO  
FIGHT, YOU  
MIGHT AS WELL  
TELL ME TO  
KILL MYSELF!

THAT'S  
WHAT YOU  
TRAINED ME  
TO DO.

I...  
I...

I  
CAN'T TURN  
MY BACK  
ON MY  
COMRADES  
AND GO ON  
LIVING.

WELL,  
THAT'S  
BOTH YOUR  
STRENGTH  
AND YOUR  
WEAKNESS.

HO HO HO...  
STRAIGHT  
AS AN  
ARROW, AS  
ALWAYS.

RÔSHI

...

RÔSHI

...

I SHALL  
BEG  
ATHENA'S  
PARDON  
ON YOUR  
BEHALF.

ALL  
RIGHT,  
SHIRYU.

HEH...  
FINISHED  
SAYING  
YOUR  
GOODBYES?



Z  
RELAX,  
SHIRYU.

UGH!

SHION  
CAN'T  
STRIKE ME  
DOWN.

WHAT  
?

THEN I'LL  
SEND YOU  
TOGETHER  
TO THE  
UNDER-  
WORLD!

GIVE ME  
A BREAK!  
YOUR  
HEAD'S  
BARELY  
ATTACHED  
TO YOUR  
BODY!

WHAT  
?

TAKE THIS!  
STARDUST  
REVOLU-  
TION!!

THAT'S

R3

# THE LIBRA CLOTH !!



BUT ON YOUR CURRENT BODY, THAT CLOTH'S JUST A USELESS PILE OF SCRAP!



IT ACTED LIKE A SHIELD TO PROTECT US...



SAVED BY YOUR OWN CLOTH, EH, DOKO?

NOTHING  
ELSE CAN  
COME  
BETWEEN  
YOU AND  
YOUR  
FATE!

NOW IT  
REALLY  
IS TIME  
FOR YOU  
TO DIE!

IT'D JUST  
THROW  
YOU  
AROUND!  
HA HA HA  
HA HA!

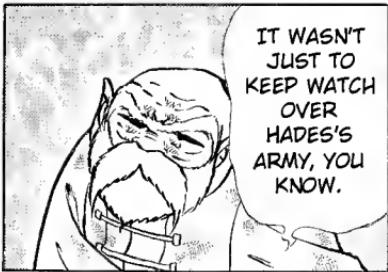
A  
DECREPIT  
OLD MAN  
LIKE YOU  
CAN'T DON  
THE  
CLOTH!

WHAT'S  
GOING ON? IT  
DOESN'T FEEL  
OLD AND  
WORN OUT  
ANYMORE...

WHAT'S THIS  
MASSIVE  
COSMO RISING  
FROM HIS  
HALF-DEAD  
BODY?

LIKE HE  
WAS WHEN  
HE WORE  
THE LIBRA  
CLOTH...

IT'S STRONG  
AND FRESH,  
JUST LIKE  
THE DOKO I  
REMEMBER



I DON'T  
BELIEVE IT! ALL  
HIS OLD SKIN  
HAS PEELED  
OFF, AND THE  
BODY UNDER-  
NEATH...

...IS THE  
DÔKO OF  
243 YEARS  
AGO!!

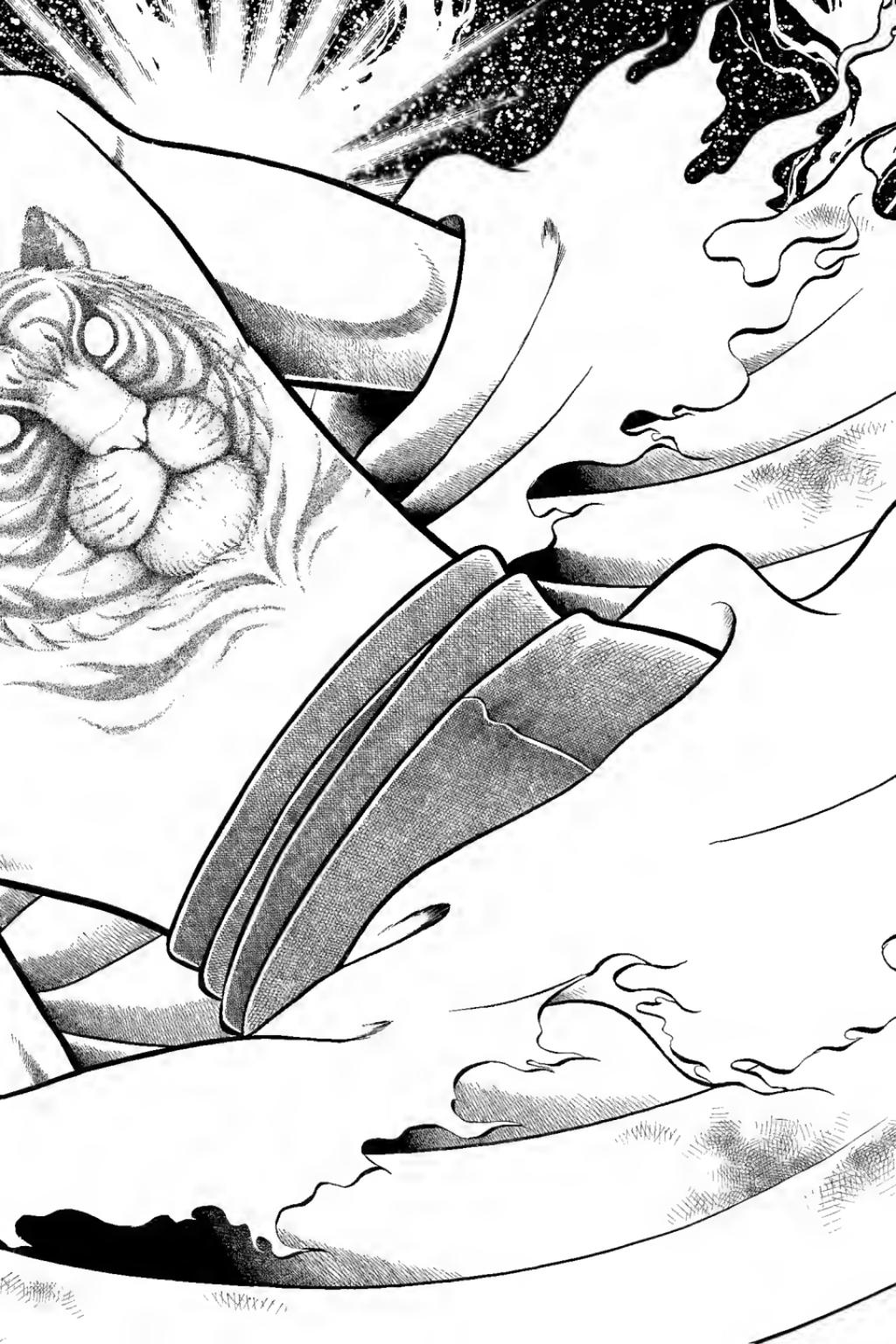


WHAT'S  
HAPPENING  
TO RÔSHI?



YOU'RE THE  
GOLD KNIGHT  
I KNEW 243  
YEARS AGO...

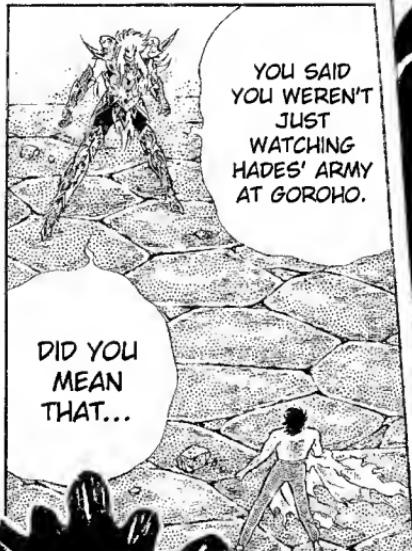
NO...  
IT'S NO  
MISTAKE  
...





...  
**LIBRA  
DÔKO**

!!



DID YOU  
MEAN  
THAT...



...THE  
DIVINE  
POWER OF  
MISOPETHA-  
MENOS!!

THAT'S  
RIGHT, SHION.  
ATHENA  
GRANTED  
UNTO ME...

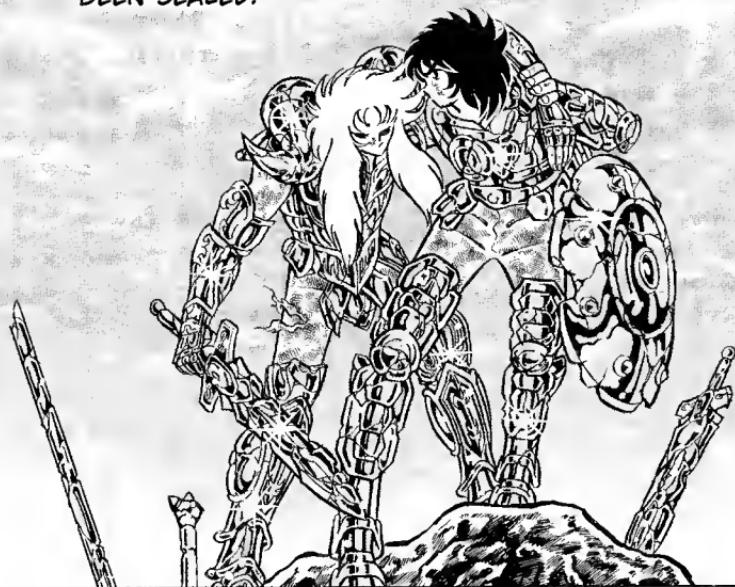


THE  
ANTI-AGING  
PROCESS  
OF THE  
GODS!

MISOPETHA-  
MENOS!!

YOU, SHION,  
WERE TO BECOME  
MASTER AND  
DEFEND SANCTUARY.  
I WAS CHARGED  
WITH WATCHING THE  
TOWER IN WHICH  
HADES' 108 STARS  
OF DARKNESS HAD  
BEEN SEALED.

THAT'S RIGHT! 243 YEARS  
AGO, WHEN THE PREVIOUS  
WAR AGAINST HADES  
FINALLY ENDED, WE WERE  
THE LONE SURVIVORS. WE  
RECEIVED ORDERS FROM  
ATHENA IN ANTICIPATION  
OF THE NEXT BATTLE OF  
THE GODS.

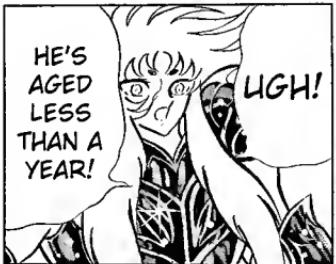


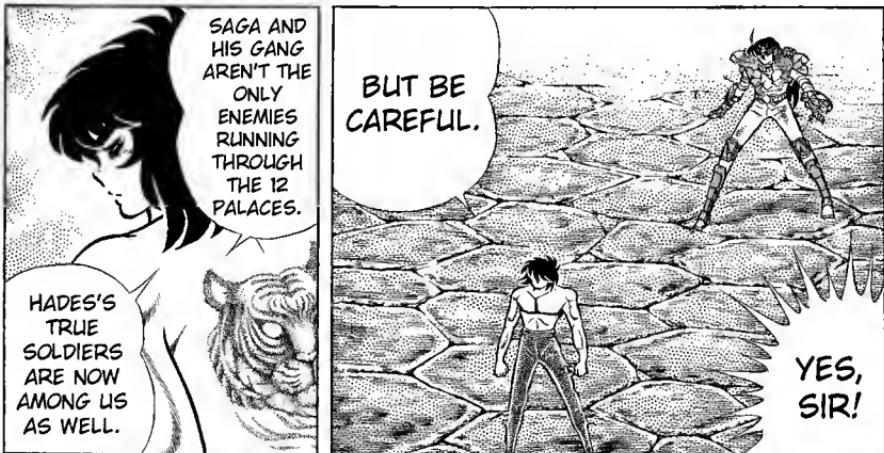
WHAT?  
ONLY  
100,000  
TIMES A  
YEAR?

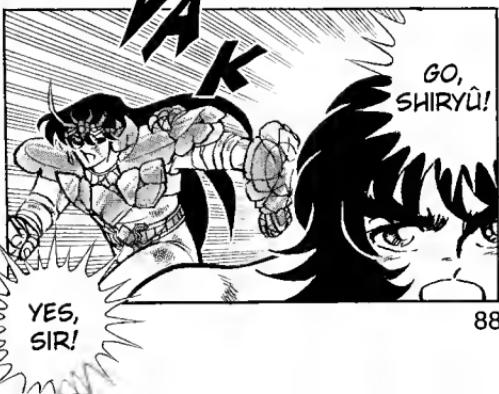
THAT'S  
AS MANY  
TIMES AS THE  
HUMAN HEART  
BEATS IN A  
SINGLE DAY!

BUT  
THAT  
MEANS

BUT SINCE  
THAT DAY,  
THANKS TO THE  
POWER ATHENA  
BESTOWED  
UPON ME, MY  
HEART HAS  
ONLY BEATEN  
100,000  
TIMES A  
YEAR.



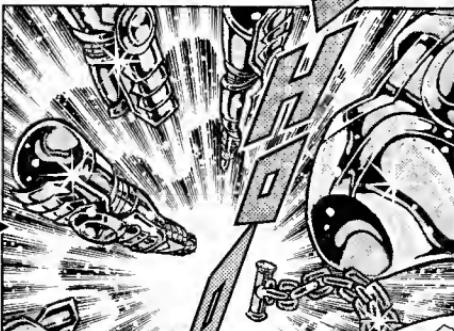
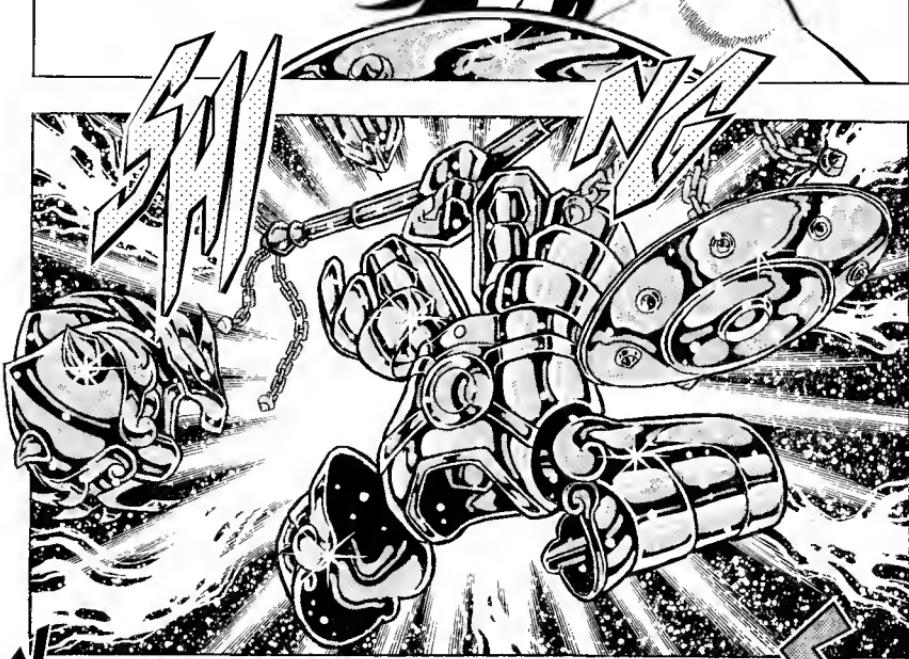


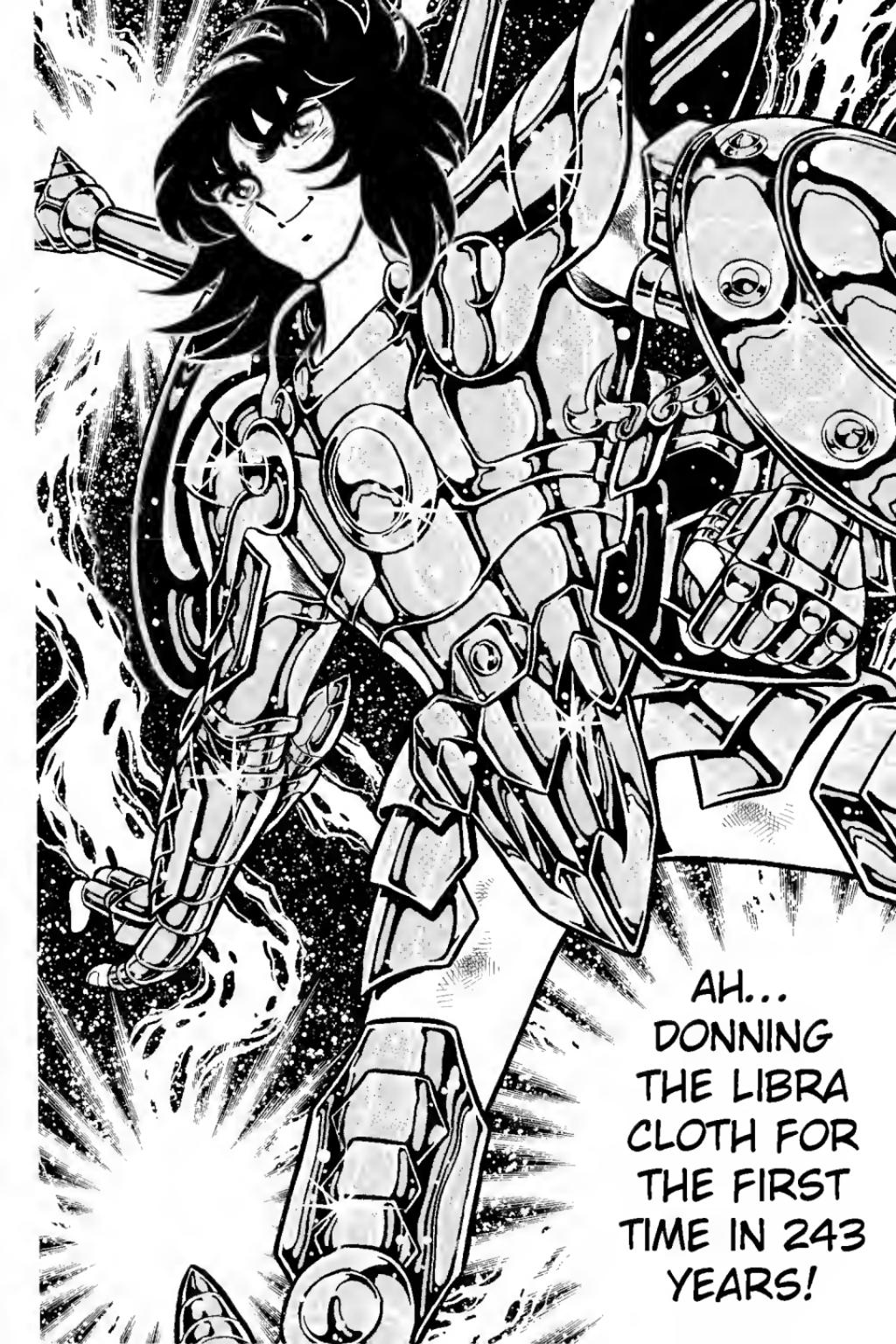


READ  
THIS  
WAY

YOU ARE  
NOT TO DIE...  
UNDERSTAND?

FAREWELL,  
SHIRYÙ.





AH...  
DONNING  
THE LIBRA  
CLOTH FOR  
THE FIRST  
TIME IN 243  
YEARS!

VERY WELL.  
IT'LL MAKE  
IT EASIER  
FOR ME TO  
KILL YOU  
WITHOUT  
REMORSE.

NOW  
WE'RE  
EVEN,  
SHION.







FOOL!  
DO YOU  
REALLY SEEK  
YOUR OWN  
DEATH?



I HAVE TO  
DEFEAT YOU  
BEFORE THAT  
HAPPENS!

STAR-  
DUST  
REVOLU-  
TION!!

Watanabe

SH

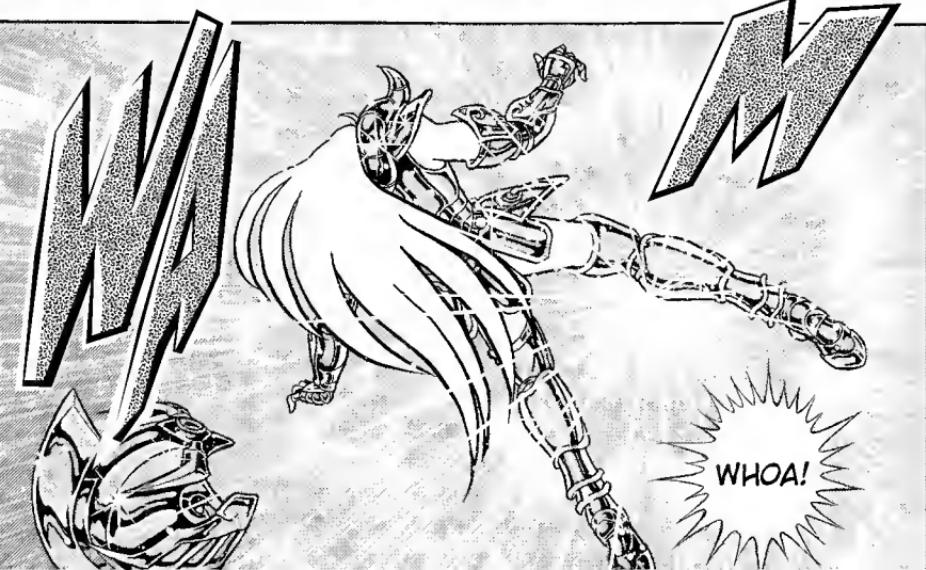
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ROZAN'S  
100  
DRAGONS  
BLOW!!



READ  
THIS  
WAY



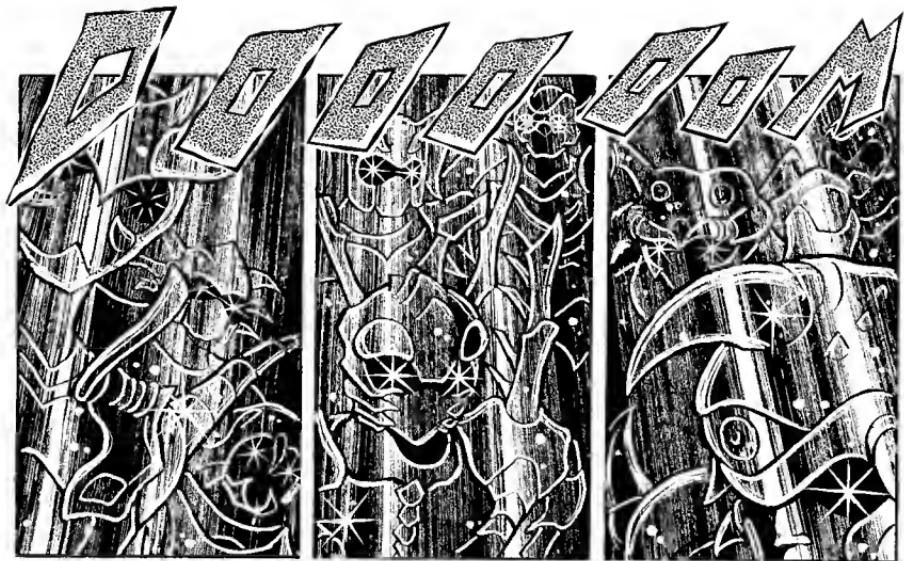


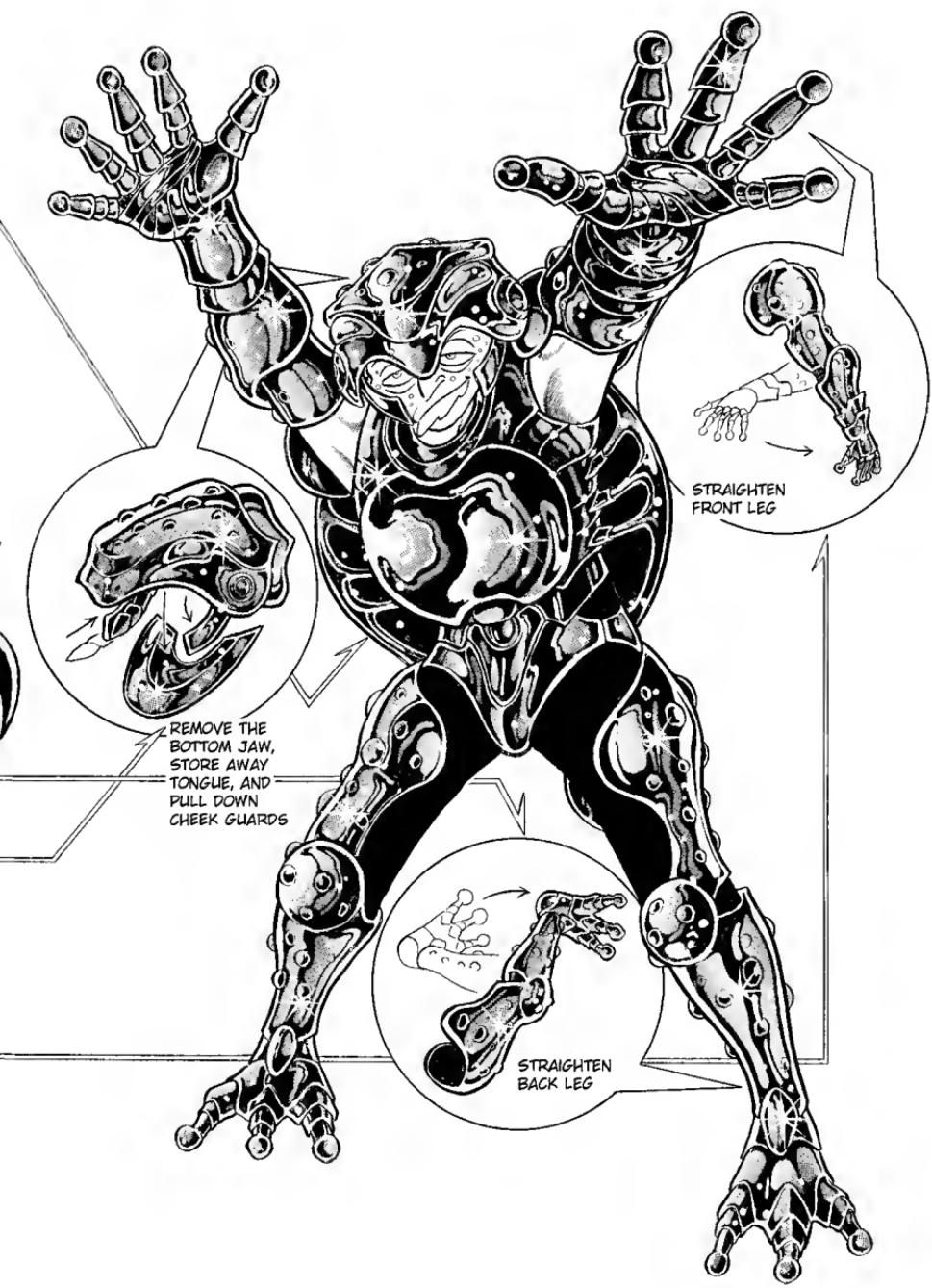
READ THIS WAY

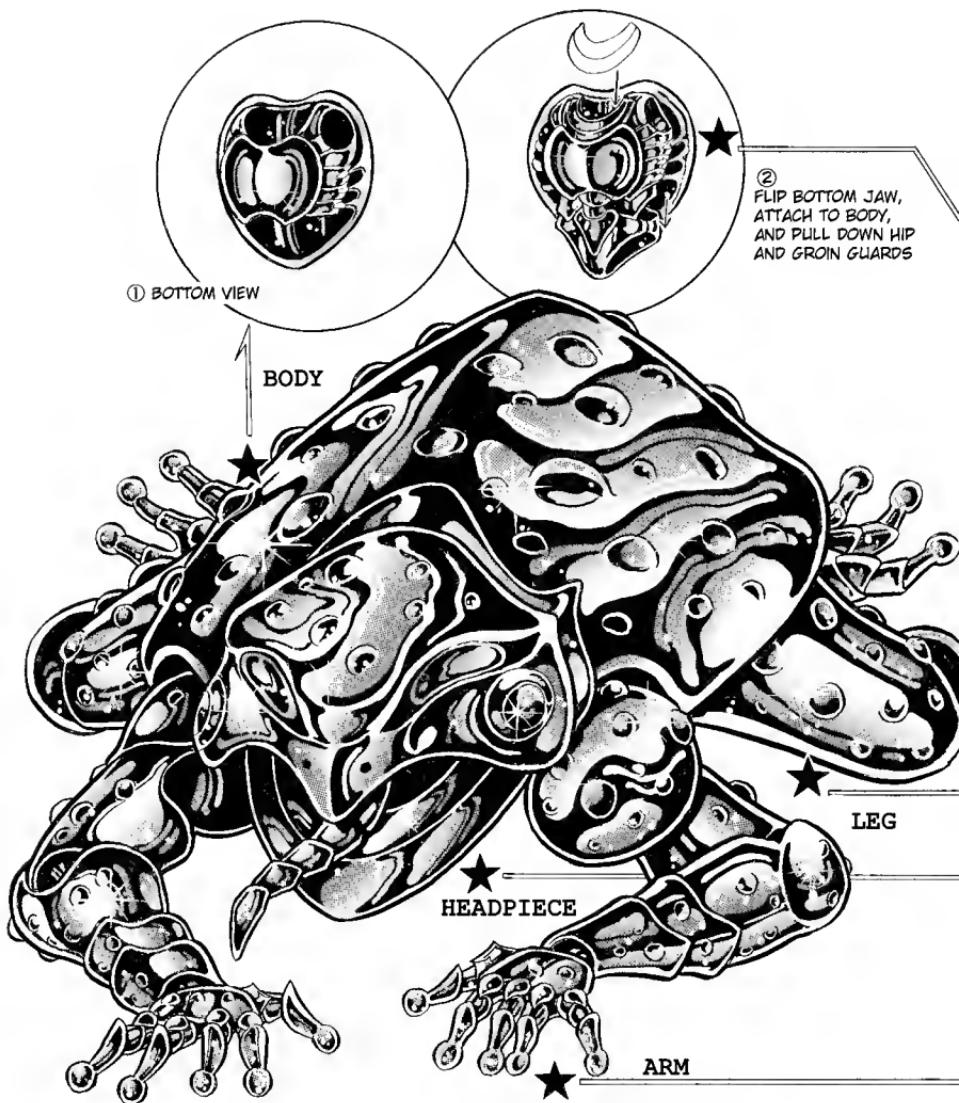
LIKE PHANTOMS,  
THEY'VE BEEN  
LURKING OUT  
OF SIGHT, BUT  
NOW THEY'RE  
FINALLY  
SHOWING  
THEMSELVES!

THEY'RE THE  
ONES WHO  
HAVE BEEN  
SHADOWING  
SAGA AND THE  
OTHERS.



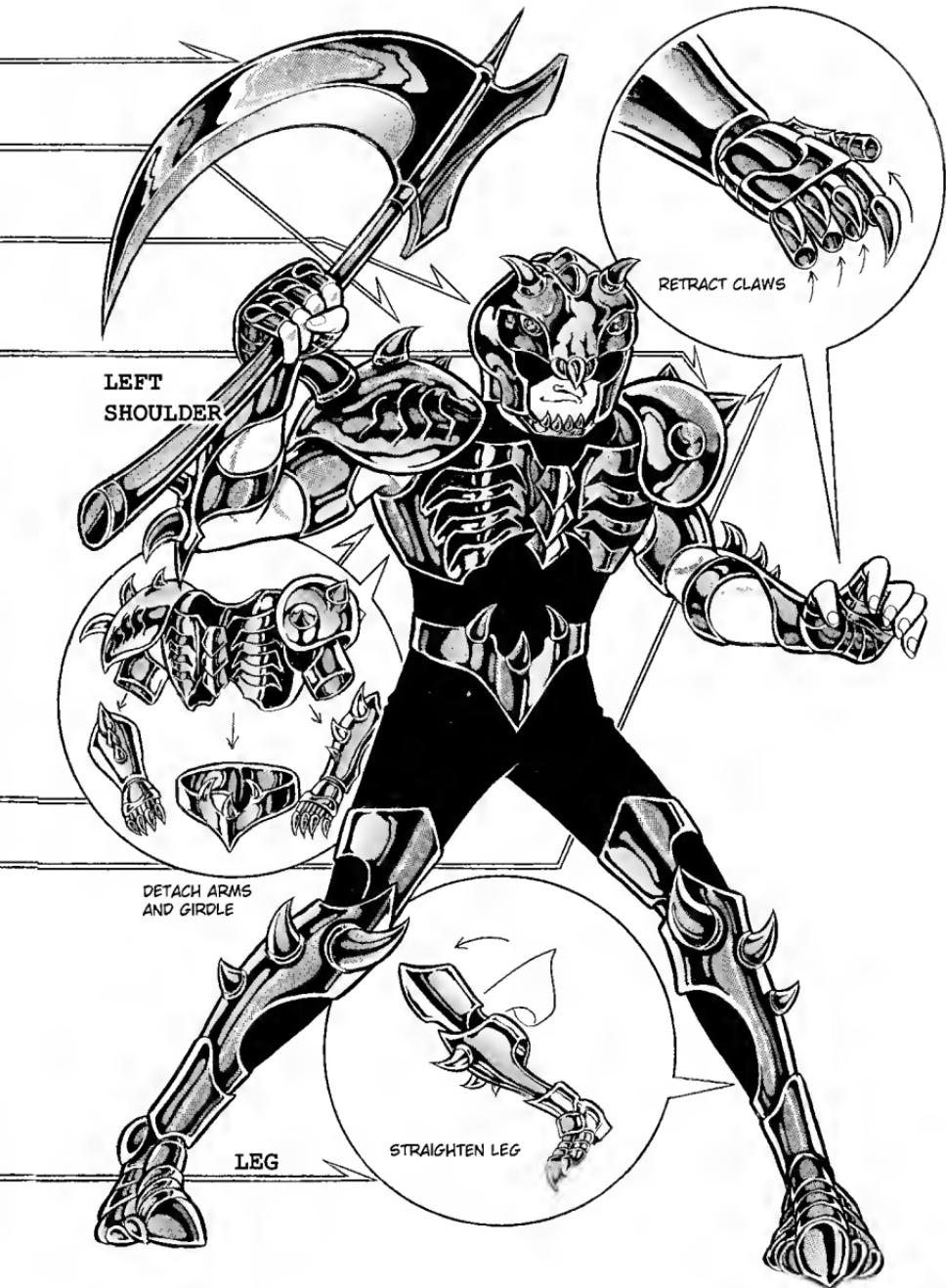


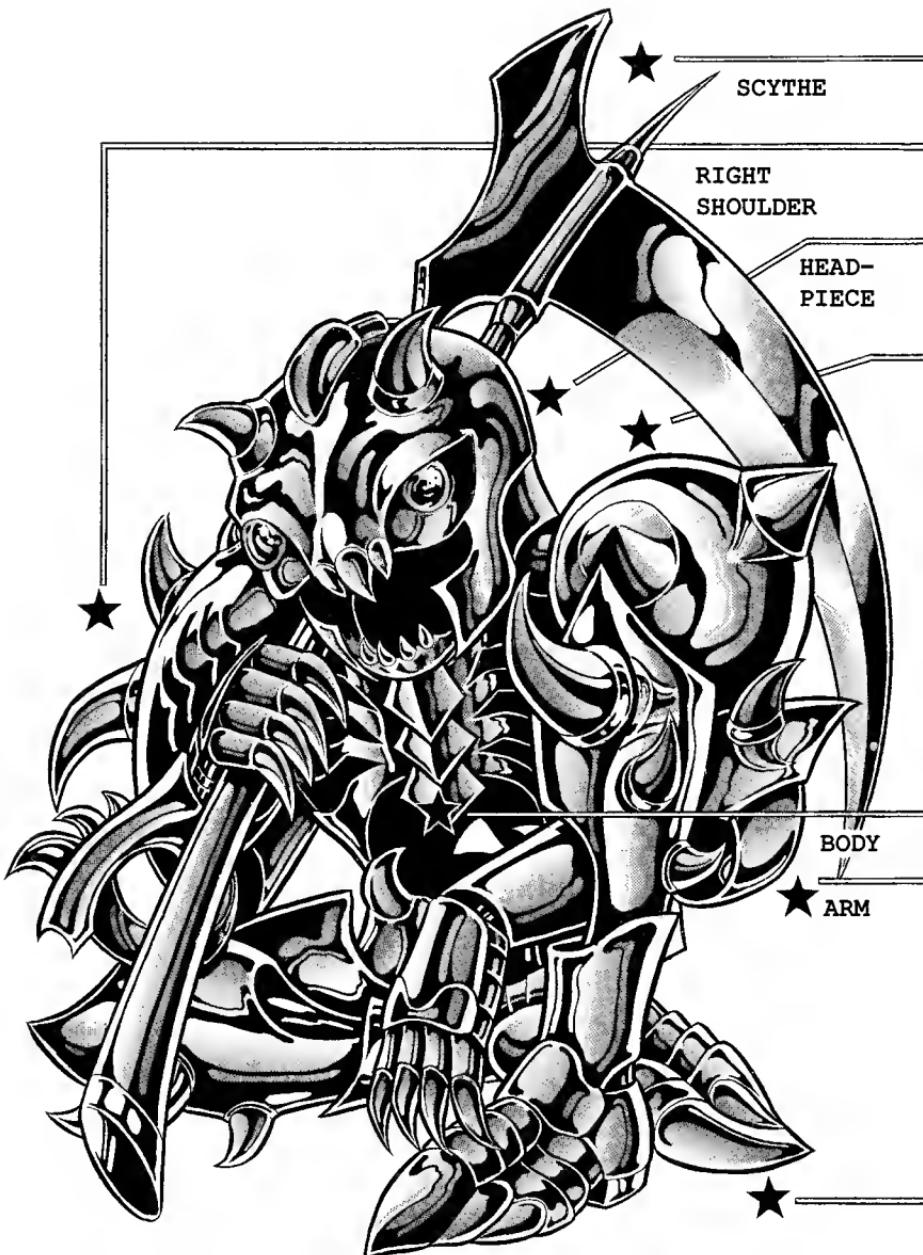




SURPLICE BREAKDOWN AND FITTING CHART 3

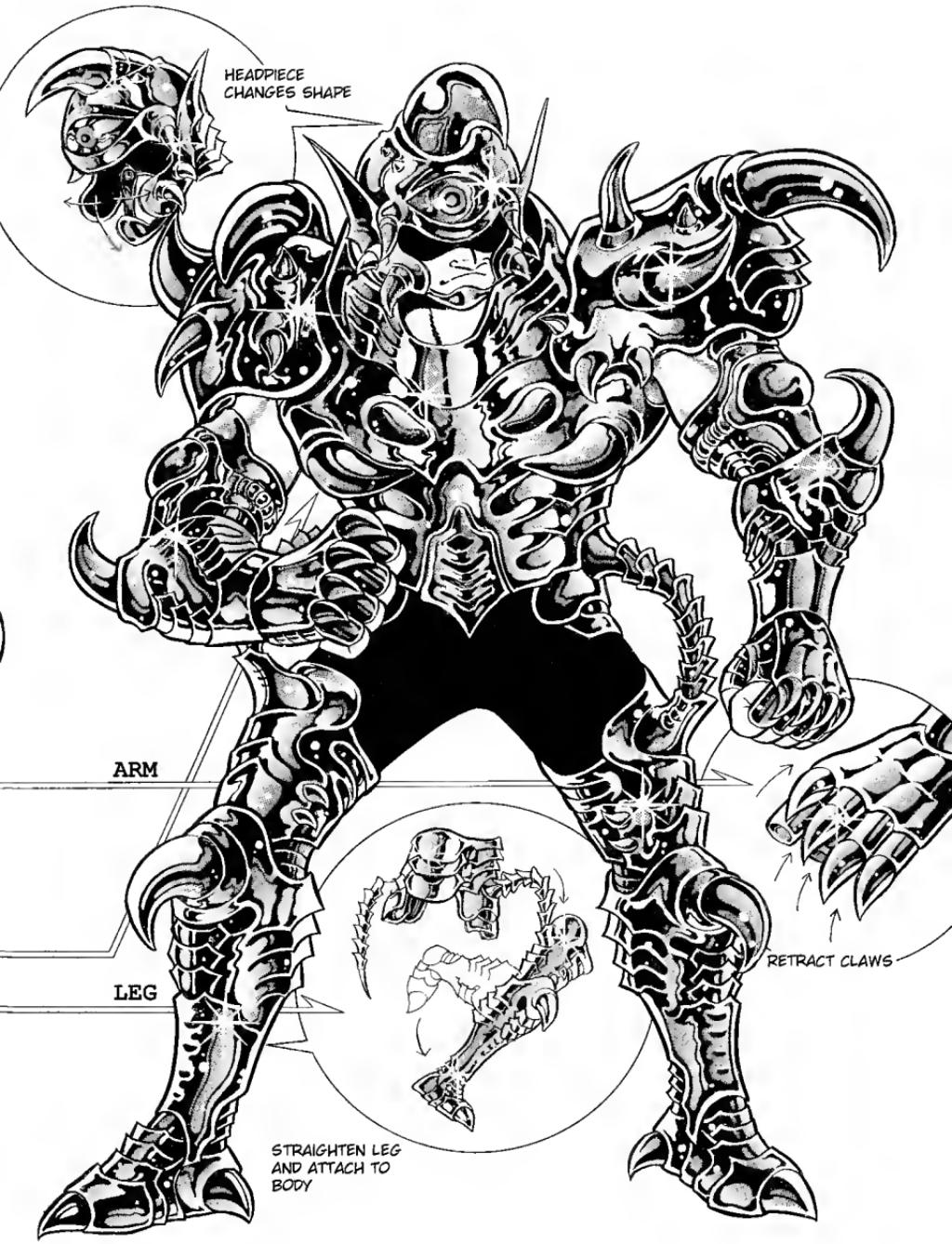
# THE EARTHLY BIZARRE STAR FROG SURPLICE



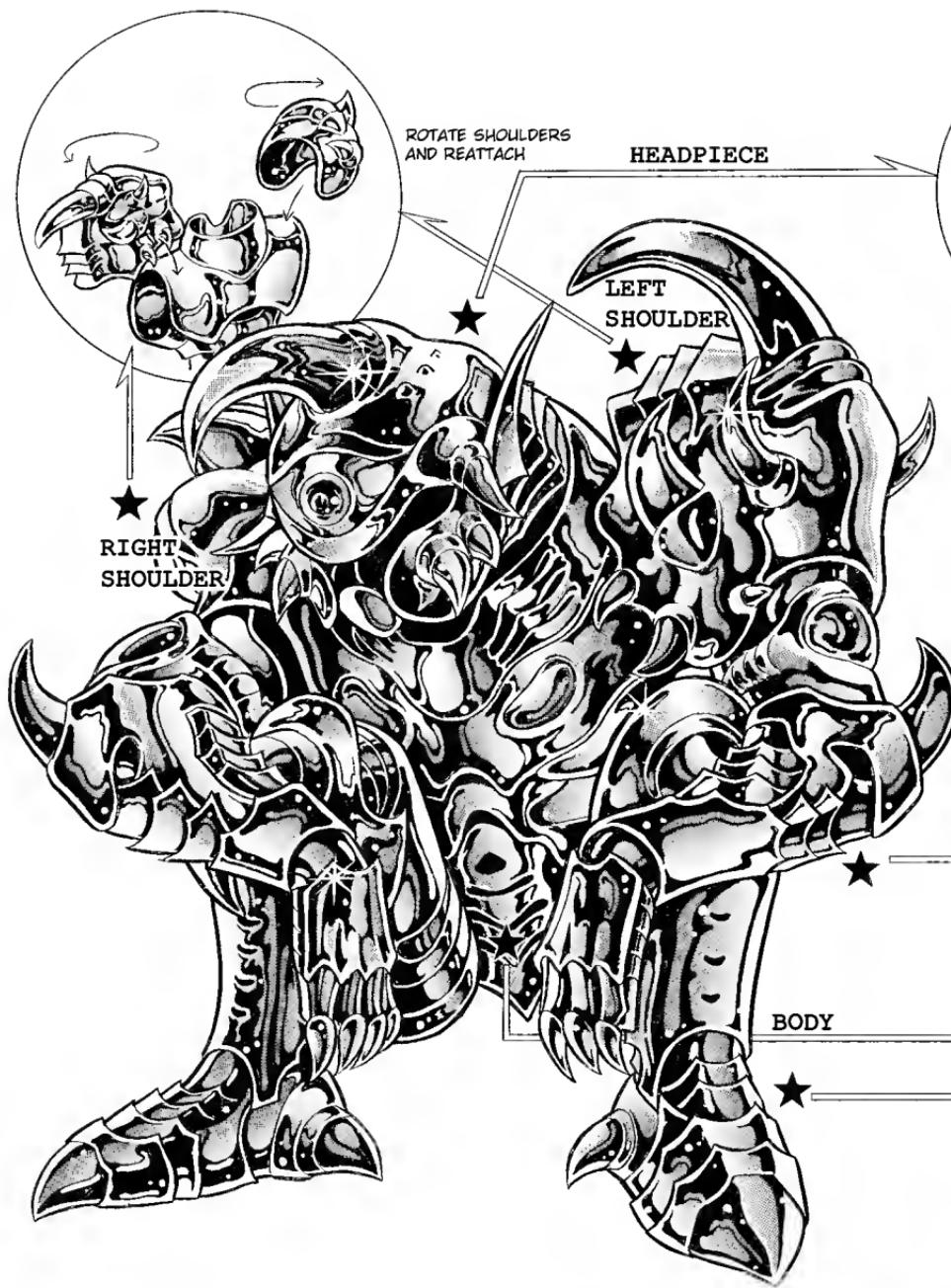


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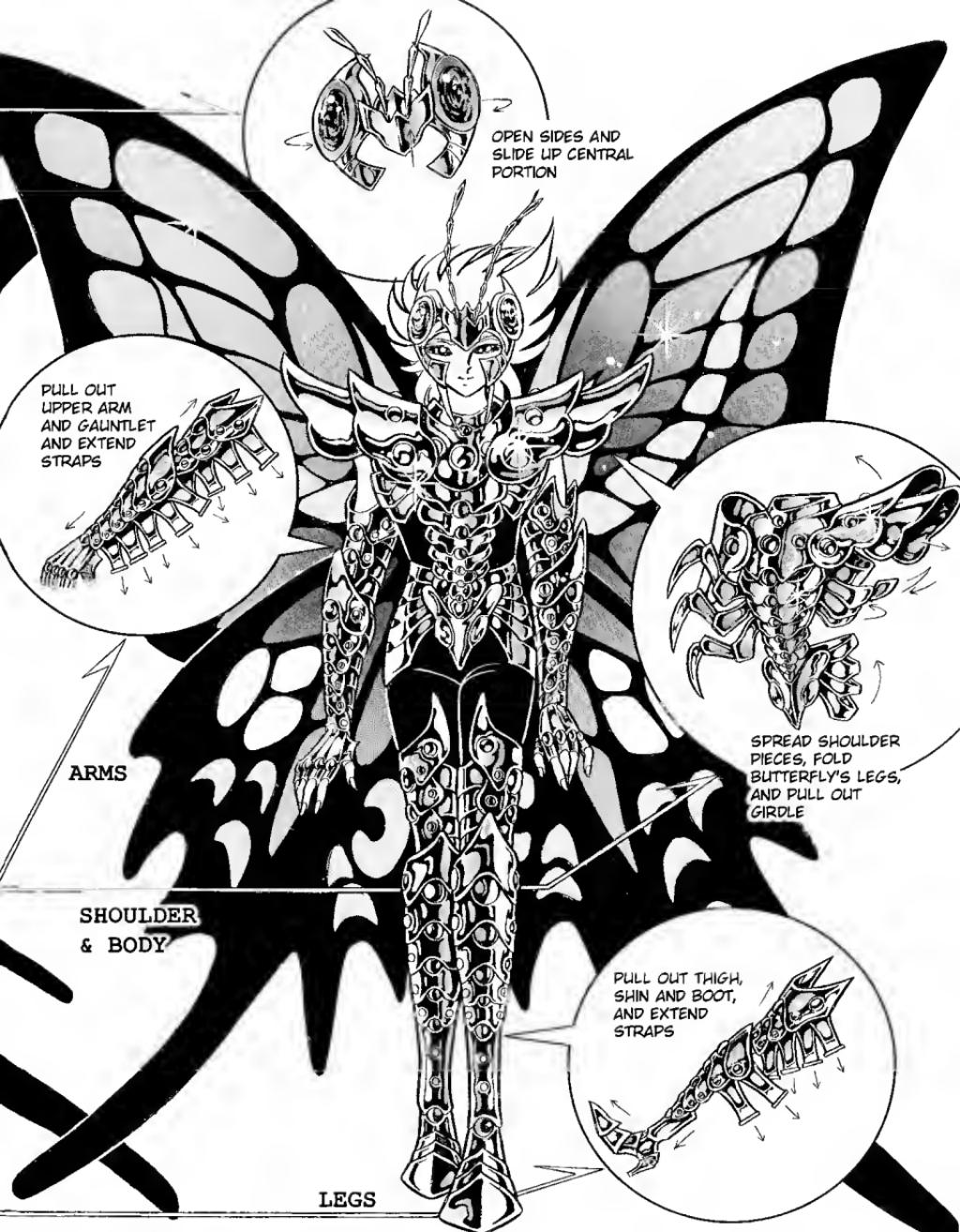
# **SKELETON (FOOT SOLDIER) SURPLICE**



SURPLICE BREAKDOWN AND FITTING CHART 5



# THE EARTHLY VIOLENT STAR CYCLOPS SURPLICE



SURPLICE BREAKDOWN AND FITTING CHART 6

# HADES'S BUTTERFLY, THE CELESTIAL FAERIE STAR

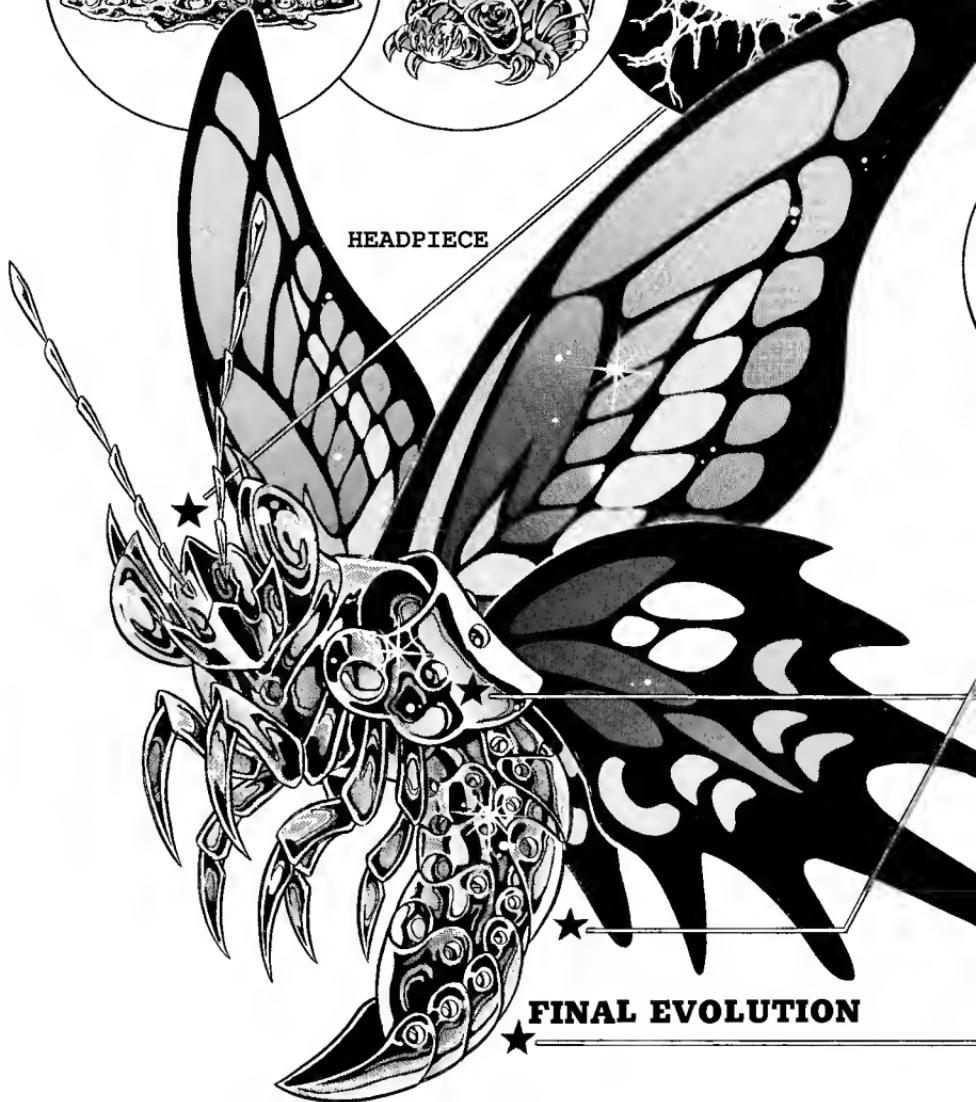
**EVOLUTION II**

**EVOLUTION III**

**EVOLUTION I**

**HEADPIECE**

**FINAL EVOLUTION**



**PAPILLON SURPLICE**

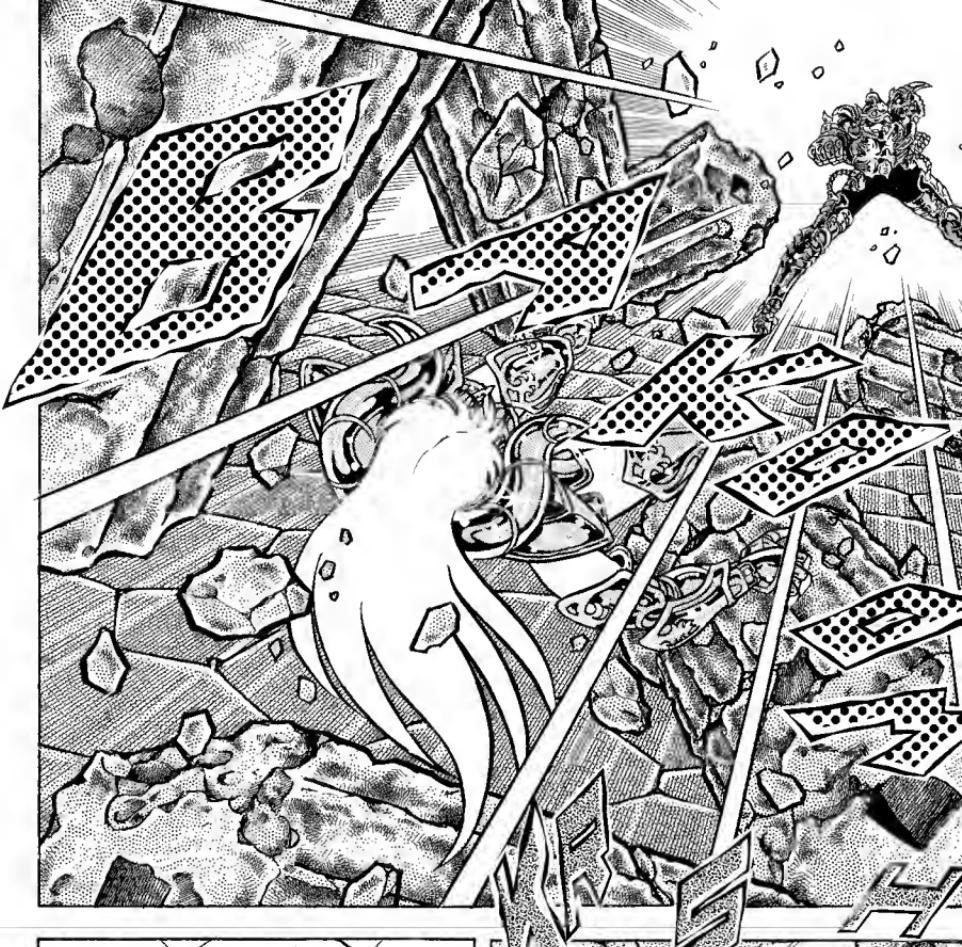


# **HADES'S BUTTERFLY!**

# **THE FAERIE CHAPTER**







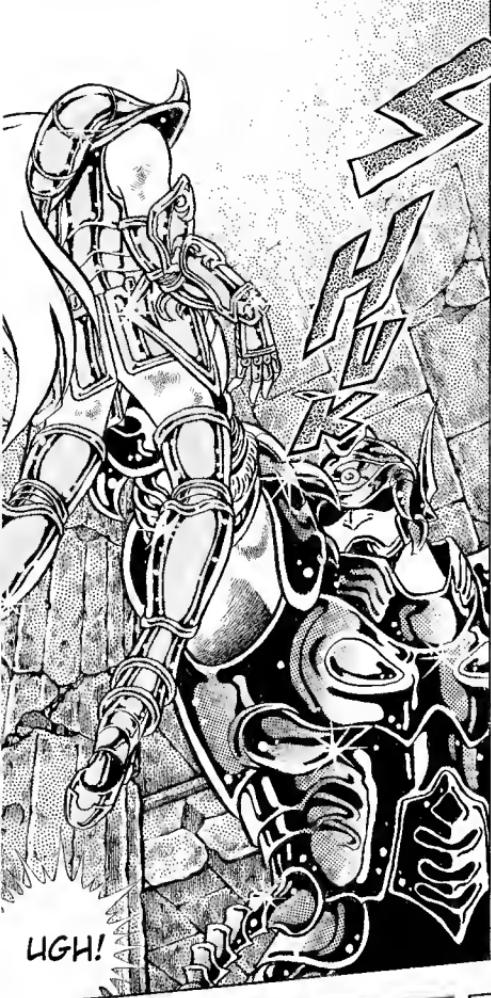
SUCH  
POWER...IT  
FEELS LIKE  
ALL MY  
BONES HAVE  
BEEN  
CRACKED...

UH...  
UGH...

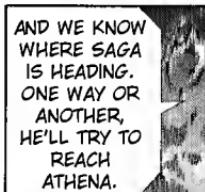
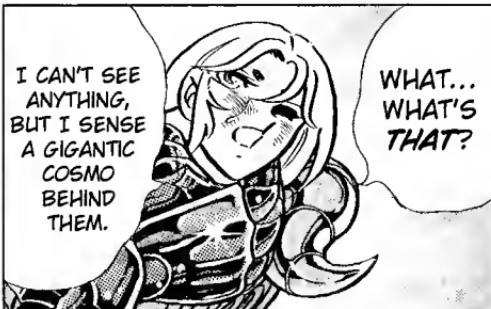
IF  
ONLY I  
COULD  
STILL  
MOVE...

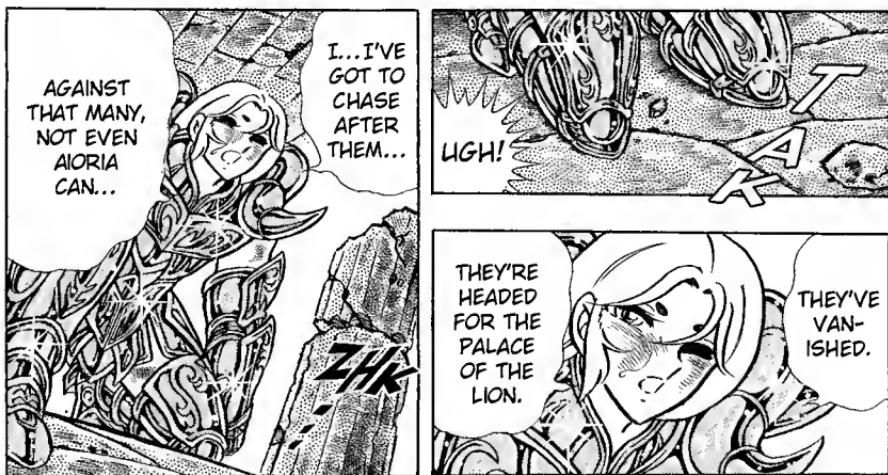
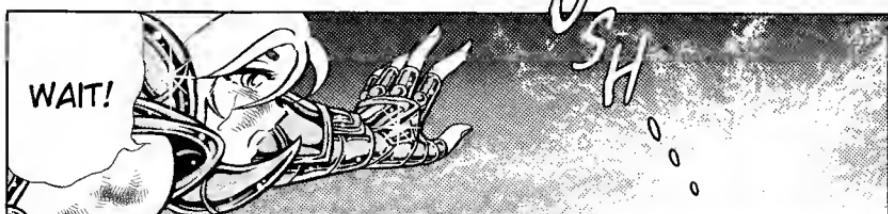
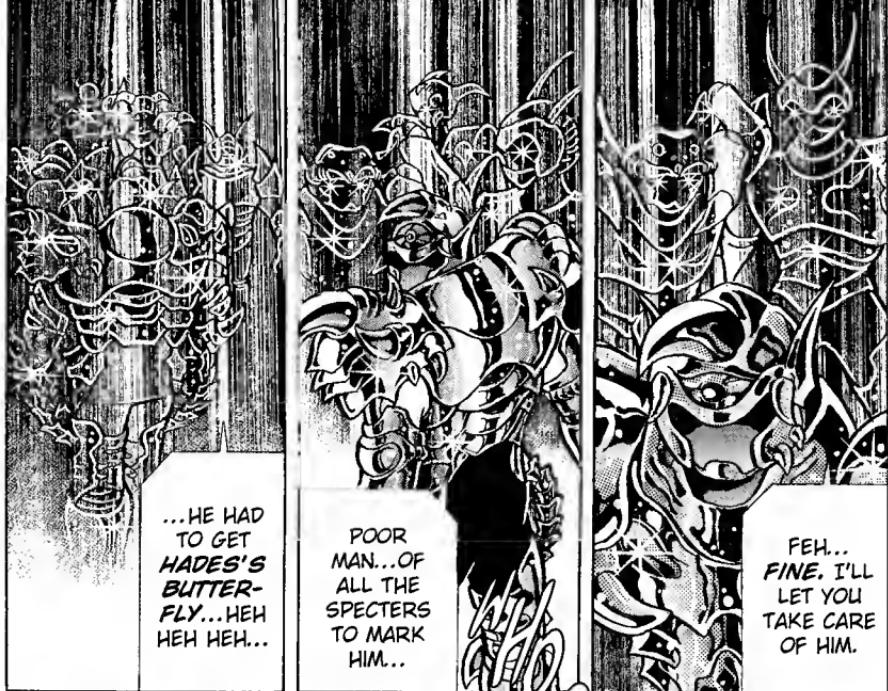
IF...IF  
ONLY...

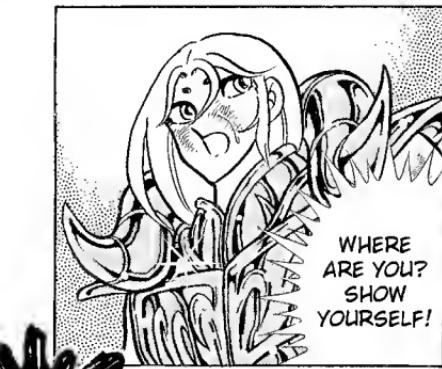
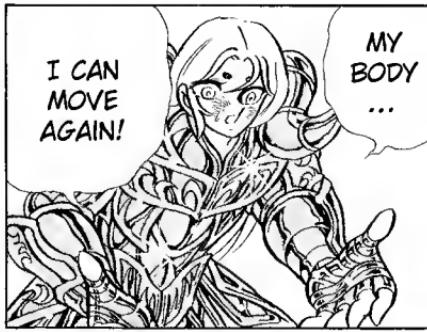
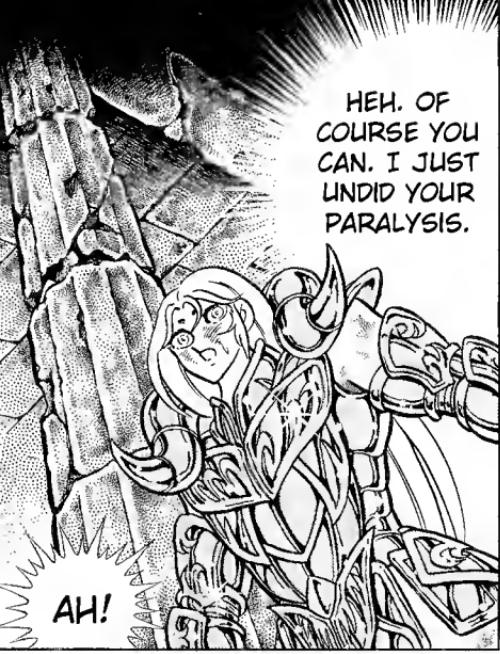


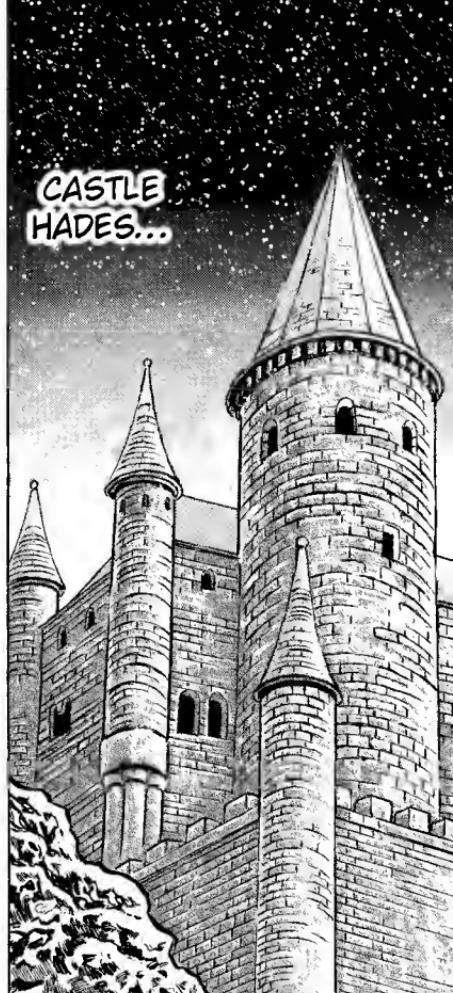


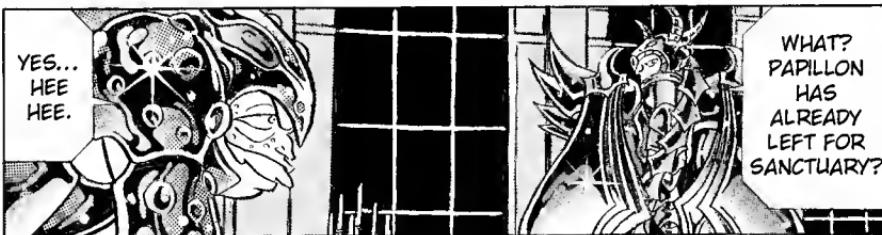
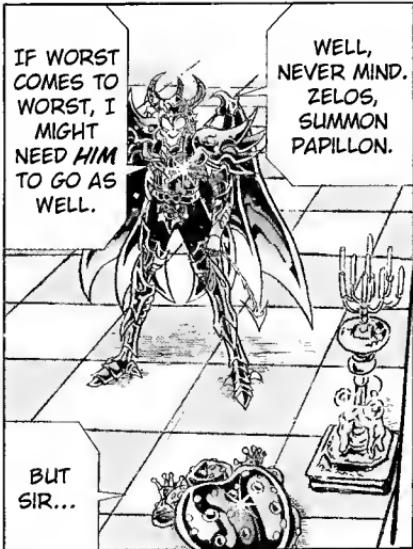


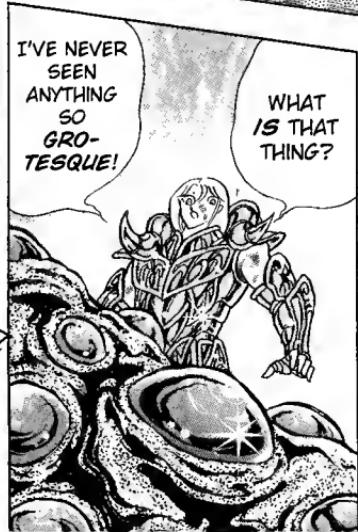
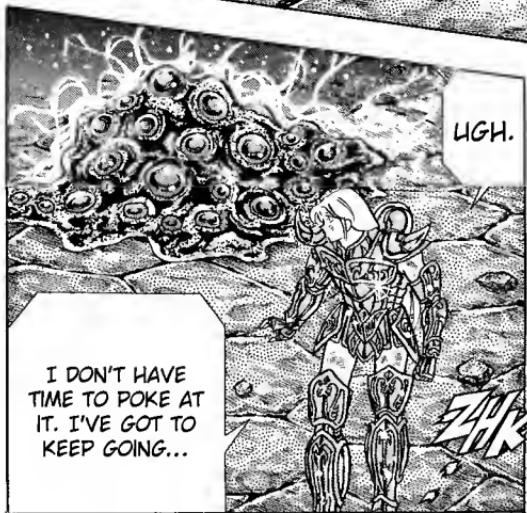




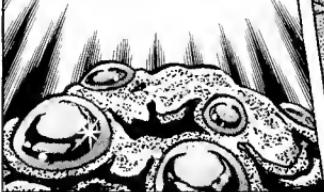






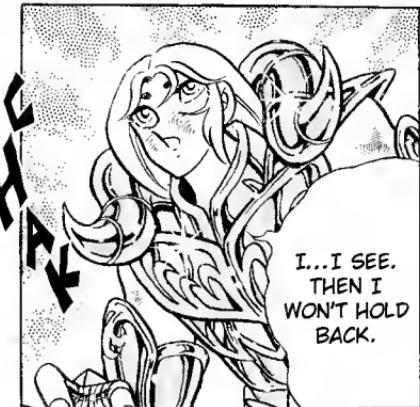


THINK I'LL JUST  
LET YOU WALK  
AWAY? I PROMISED  
MY COMRADES I'D  
TAKE CARE OF  
YOU.



...  
PAPILLON  
MYÜ!

HEH... THAT'S  
RIGHT. I'M  
THE EARTHLY  
FAERIE  
STAR...



THAT'S  
ALSO WHY I  
UNDID THE  
PARALYSIS.  
I WANT TO  
FACE YOU  
ON EVEN  
TERMS.





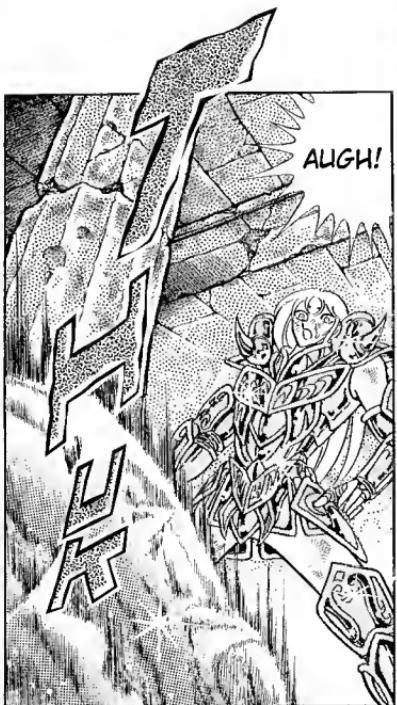
A GIFT  
FROM MY  
MASTER,  
SHION!



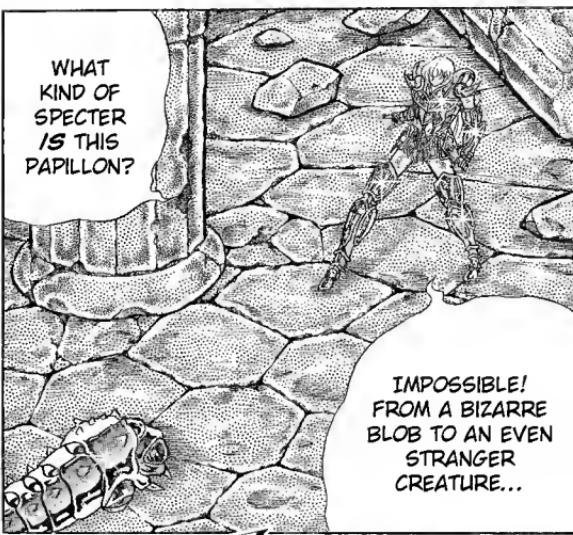


STAR-  
DUST  
REVOLU-  
TION!!



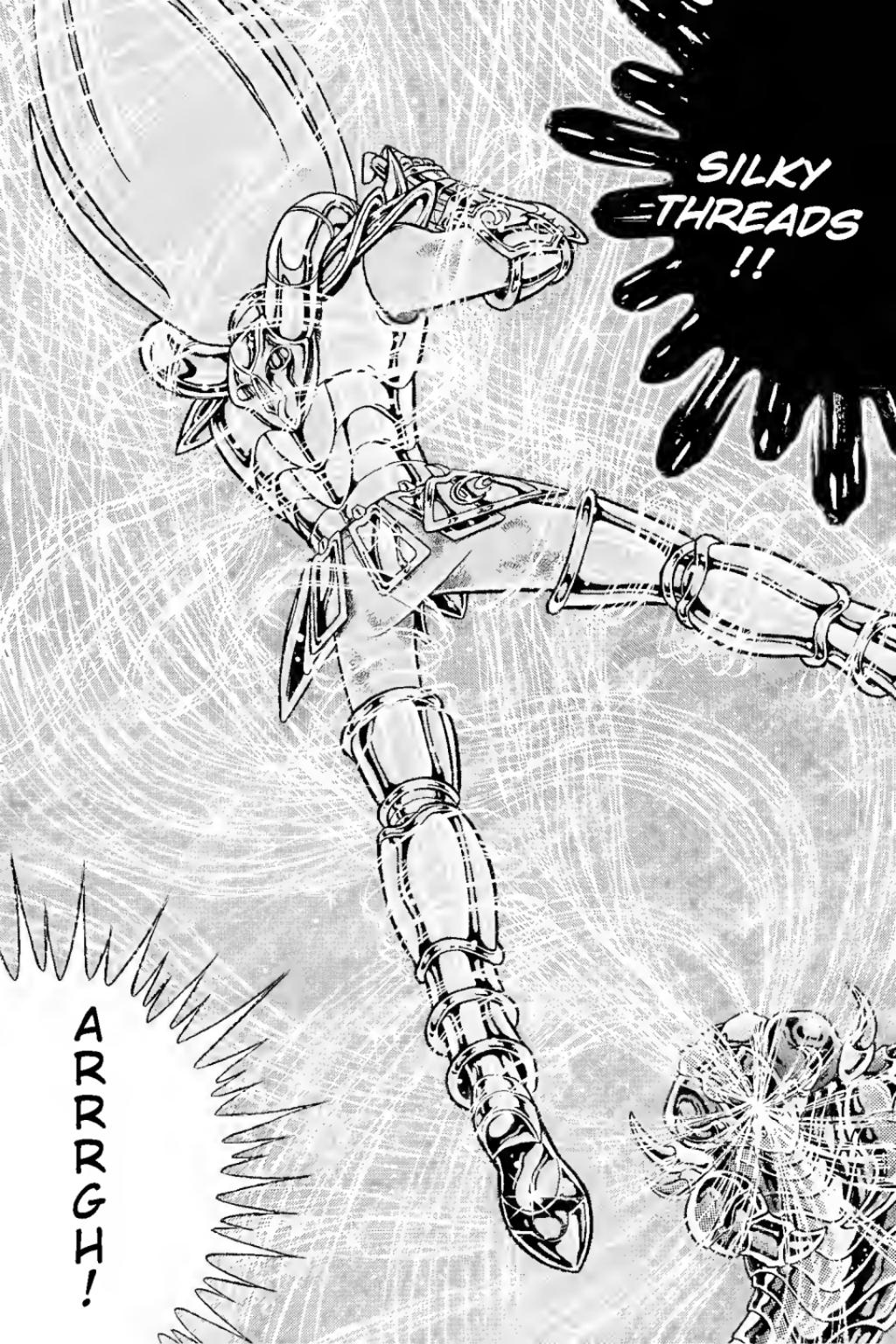


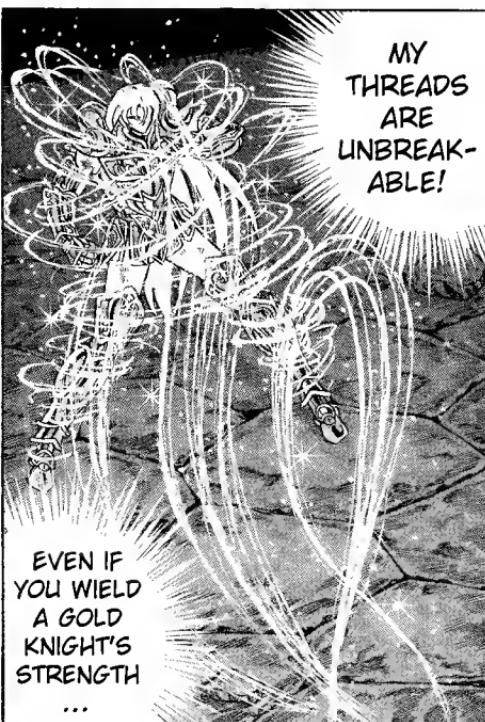




SILKY  
THREADS  
!!

ARRGGH!





IN MY  
THREADS,  
YOU'LL  
SUFFOCATE  
'AND DIE.'

I'M  
STARTING  
TO PASS  
OUT...

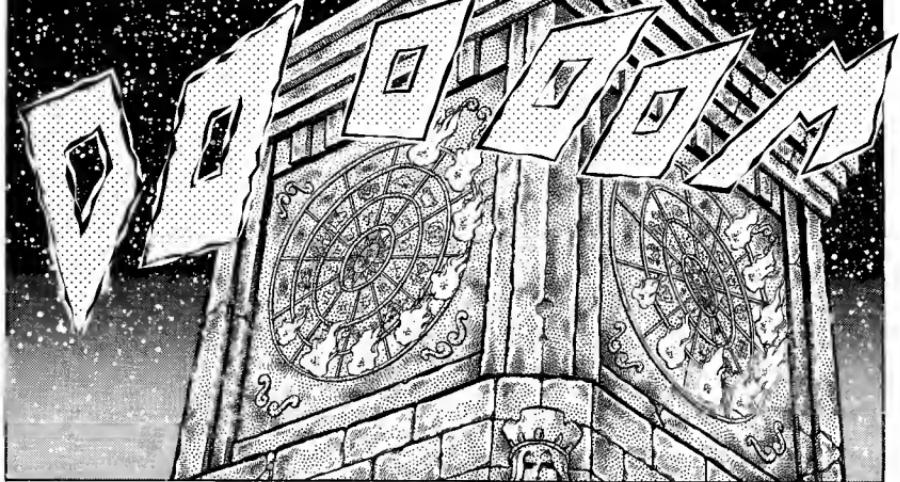
UNH...  
UGH...

IT'S  
JUST AS  
HE SAID...

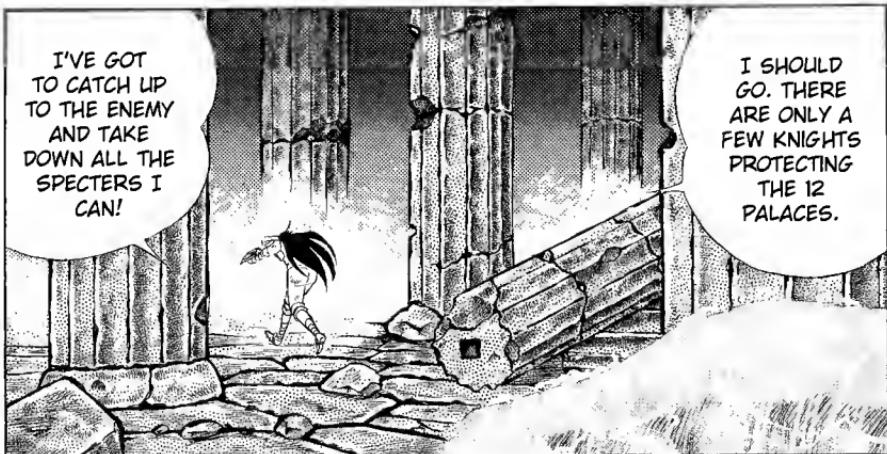
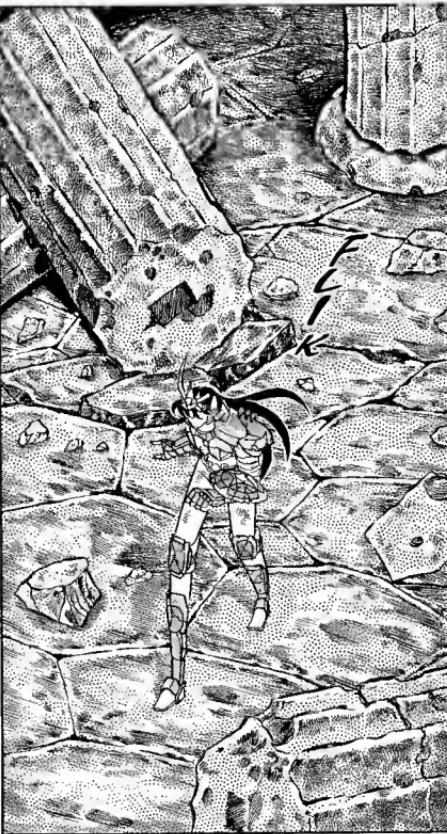
UNH...

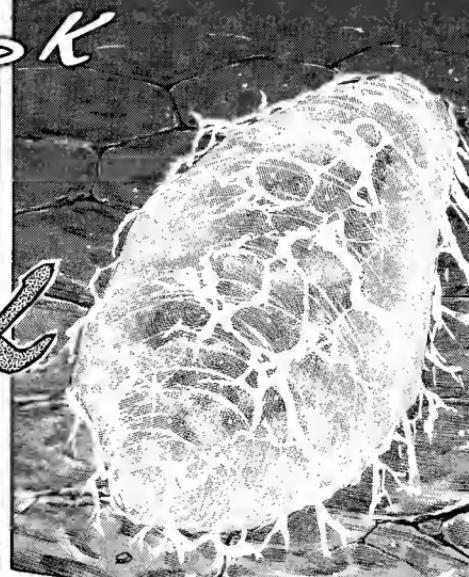
HO HO  
HO HO  
HO HO...











IF THAT DESPERATE PUNCH HADN'T WORKED, I WOULD'VE DIED.

FOR AN INSTANT... I THINK I LOST CONSCIOUSNESS...

I'VE NEVER ENCOUNTERED SUCH AN ENEMY.

WHAT A FEARSOME MONSTER HE IS.

EVEN HIS COSMO HAS COMPLETELY VANISHED, BUT...

WHAT'S THAT?

AH!  
SPEAKING OF WHICH, WHERE DID THAT CREATURE GO?

WFF

WFF

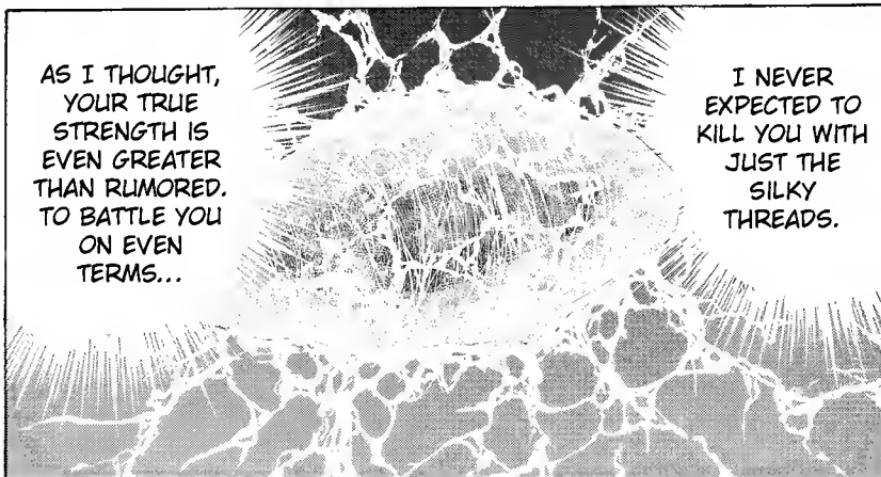
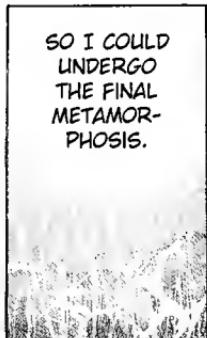
LUGH!

HM.



WHAT  
COULD BE  
INSIDE  
THIS  
ONE?

IT'S  
JUST LIKE  
THE THING  
I WAS  
TRAPPED  
IN!



TO COMPLETE  
THE FINAL  
METAMORPHOSIS,  
I MUST SLEEP, IF  
ONLY FOR A  
LITTLE WHILE...



YES. I NEEDED TO  
BUY TIME FOR MY  
TRANSFORMATION.

PAPILLON,  
YOU TRULY  
ARE YOUR  
NAMESAKE!

THIS "EVOLUTION" OF  
YOURS, CHANGING YOUR  
SHAPE OVER SEVERAL  
STAGES...

I'M FINALLY  
SEEING THE  
BIG PICTURE.

I  
SEE...

THE  
INVINCIBLE  
SHAPE OF  
MY FINAL  
METAMOR-  
PHOSIS!!

THAT'S  
RIGHT! NOW  
SEE THE  
TRUE FORM  
OF THE  
EARTHLY  
FAERIE STAR,  
PAPILLON  
MYÙ!!

KR AK









HO HO HO...  
NOW THAT I'VE  
UNDERGONE FINAL  
METAMORPHOSIS,  
ONE THING IS  
CERTAIN.

YOUR  
DEATH,  
MÜ!



YOU'D BE  
DEAD NOW  
IF I HADN'T  
LIFTED MY  
PSYCHO-  
KINESIS.

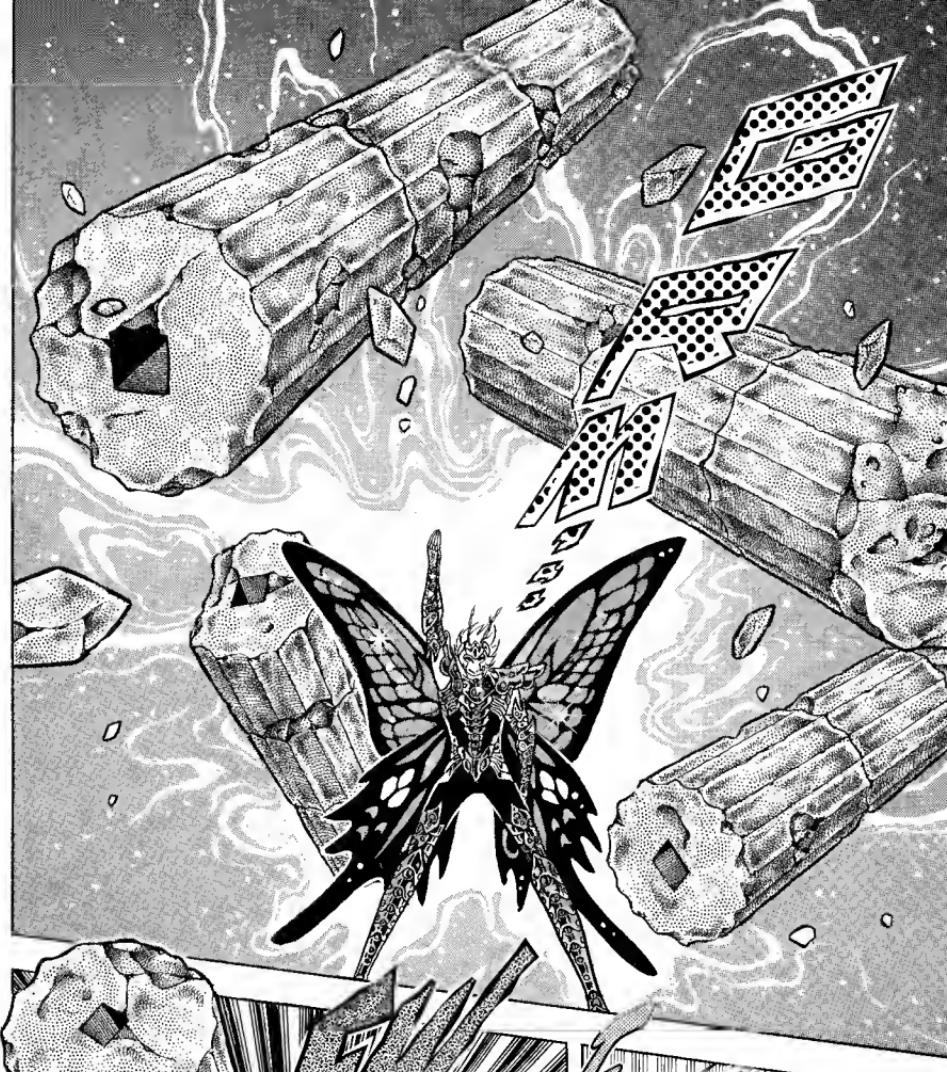
HAVE YOU  
FORGOT-  
TEN  
ALREADY?

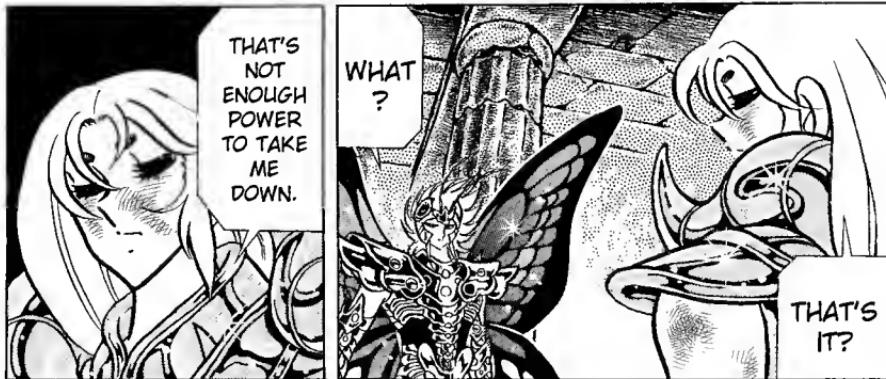
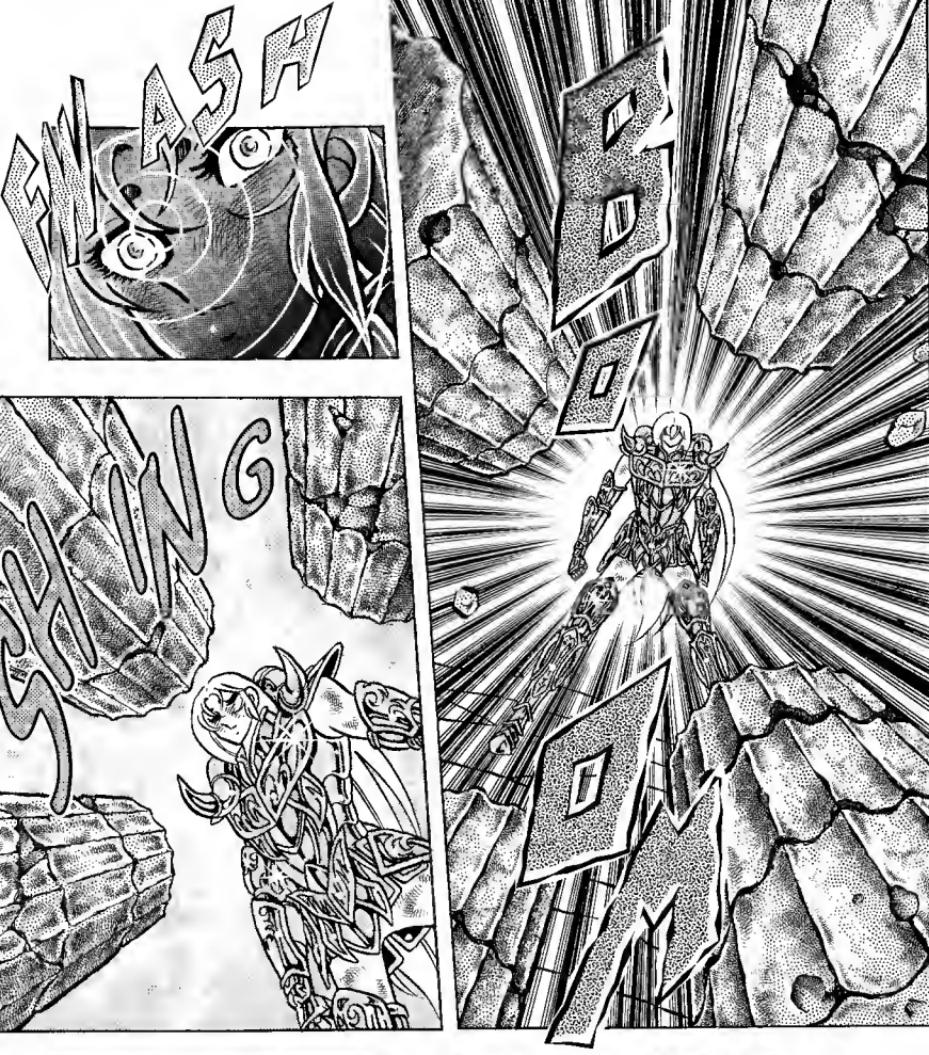
SAME  
TO YOU,  
PAPILLON.

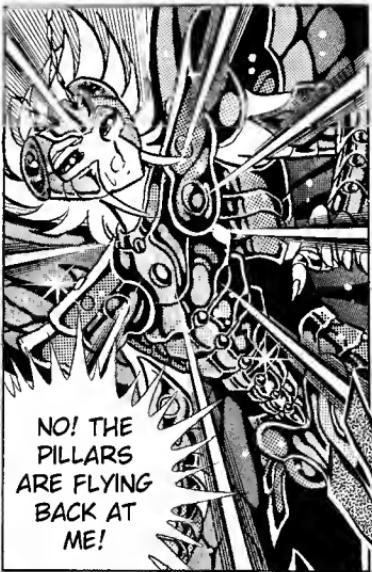


IF IT'S  
MIND GAMES YOU  
WANT, YOU'RE UP  
AGAINST THE  
GOLD KNIGHTS'  
MOST SKILLED  
PSYCHOKINETIC!  
COME,  
PAPILLON!









READ THIS WAY

YOU ARE  
INDEED AS  
GOOD AS  
THEY SAY.

IT'S TOO  
LATE TO  
BLITTER  
ME UP.

WHAT  
?

...WITH  
A LITTLE  
BIT OF  
INTEREST  
ADDED  
ON.

JUST  
RETURNING  
THE GIFT  
OF YOUR  
PSYCHO-  
KINETIC  
PARALYSIS  
...

MY...MY  
BODY...

AH!

HOW  
DARE  
YOU?

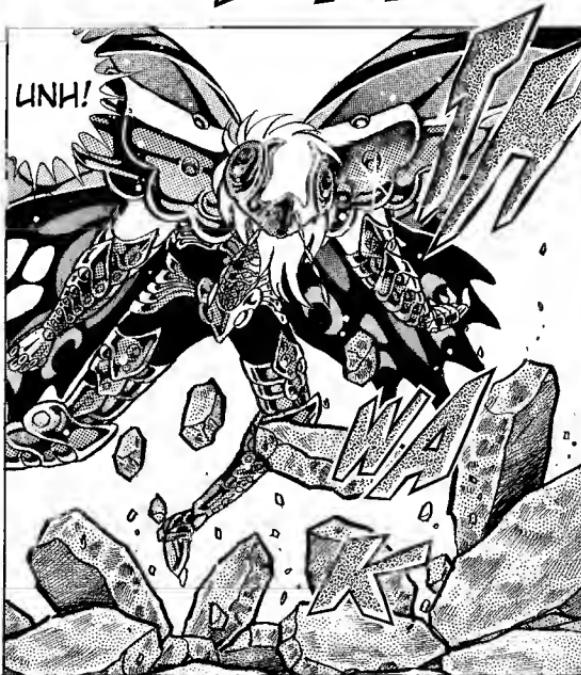
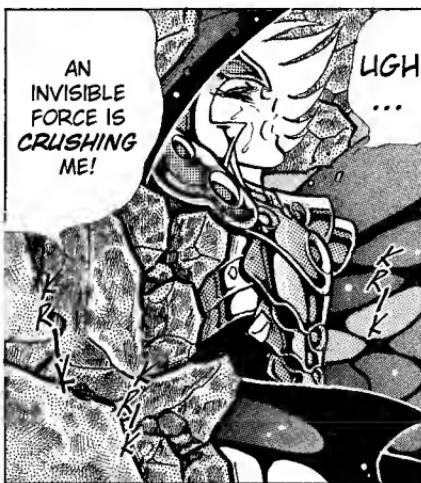
I'M  
PARA-  
LYZED!



TELL  
ME... WOULD  
YOU RATHER  
BE SMASHED  
AGAINST THE  
FLOOR OR  
THE WALL?

HUH?





YOU  
REALLY  
THINK  
I'D  
TELL  
YOU?

NO?

I HAVE A  
QUESTION,  
PAPILLON.

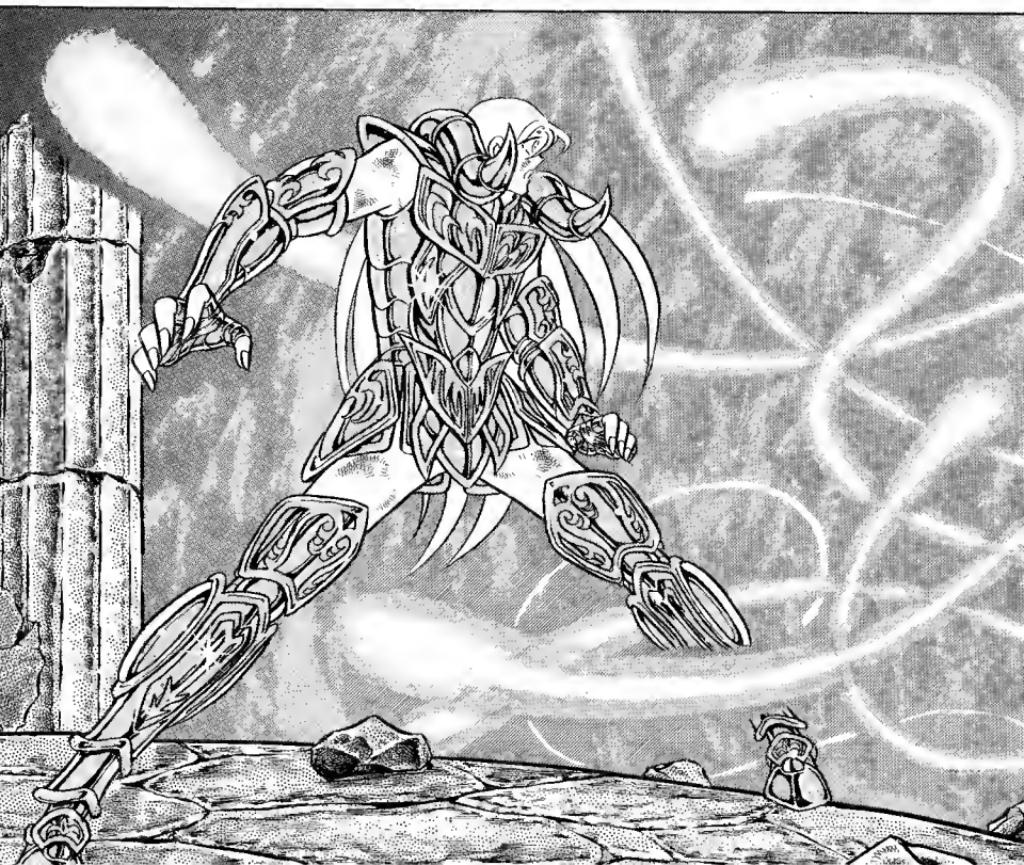
EXACTLY  
HOW MANY  
OF YOU TRUE  
SPECTERS  
HAVE  
INVADED  
SANCTUARY?

NOW  
I'M BEING  
SPUN  
AROUND!

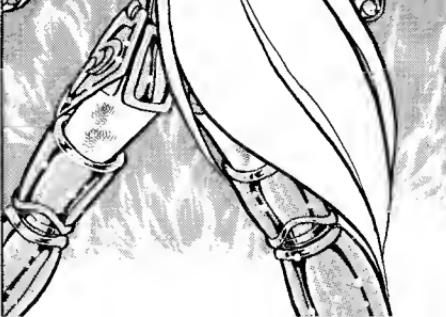
READ  
THIS  
WAY













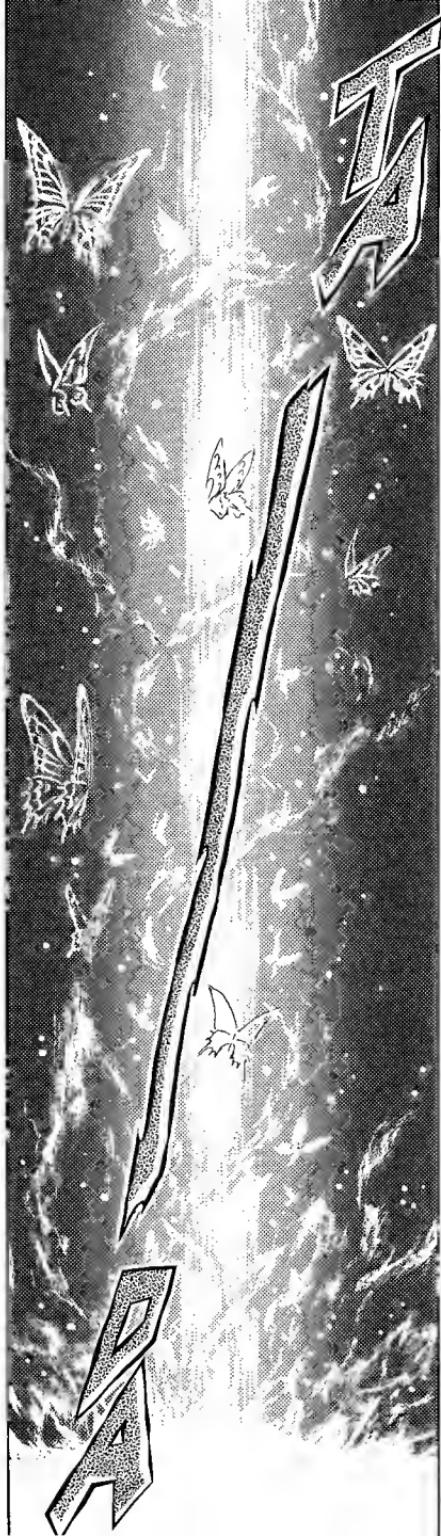
THEY'LL  
TRANSPORT  
YOU TO THE  
UNDERWORLD,  
BODY AND  
SOUL.

THESE ARE  
FAERIES,  
ALSO KNOWN  
AS HADES'S  
BUTTERFLIES.

# FAERIE THRONG!

FARE-  
WELL,  
MÙ!

WHAT?

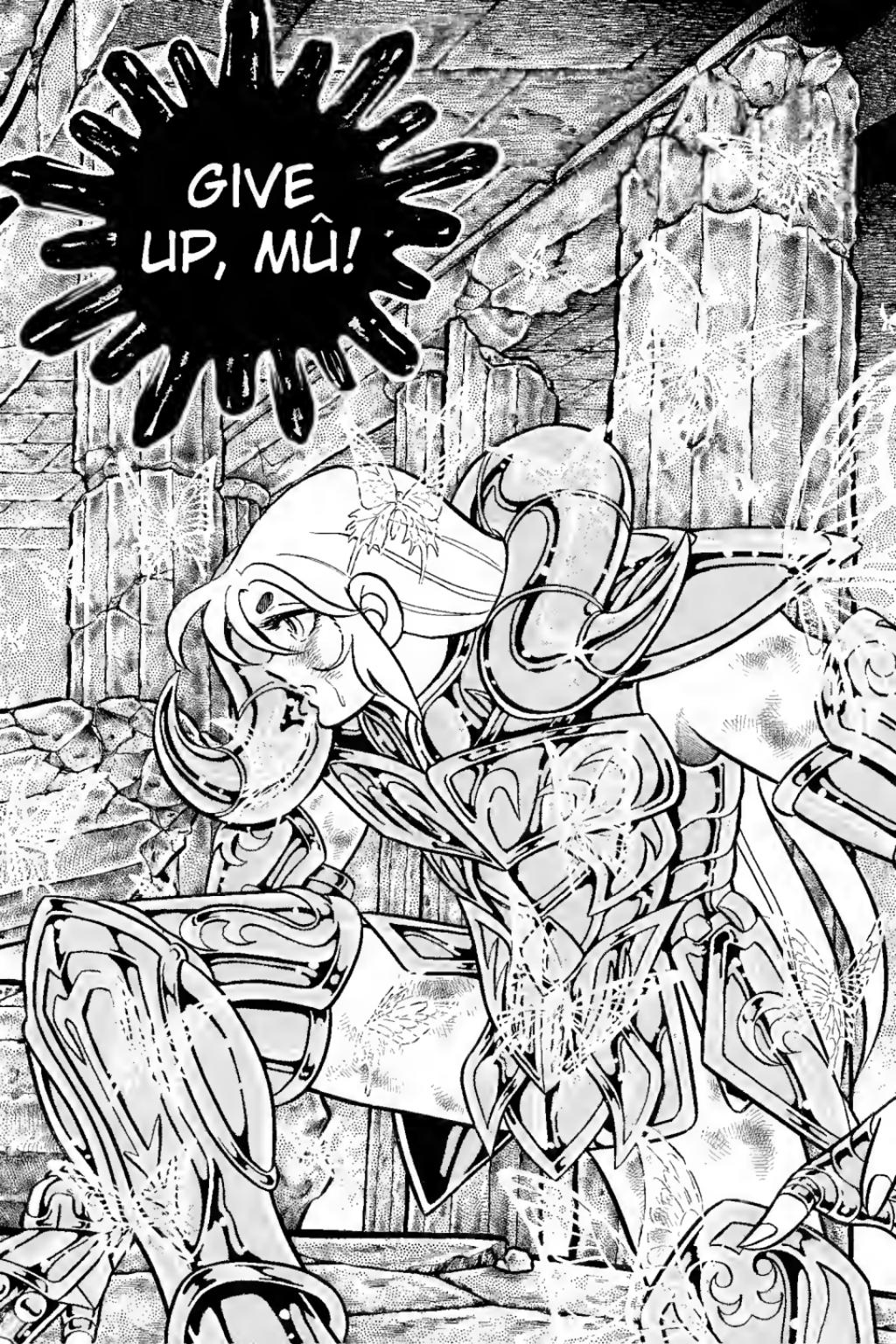








GIVE  
UP, MÛ!

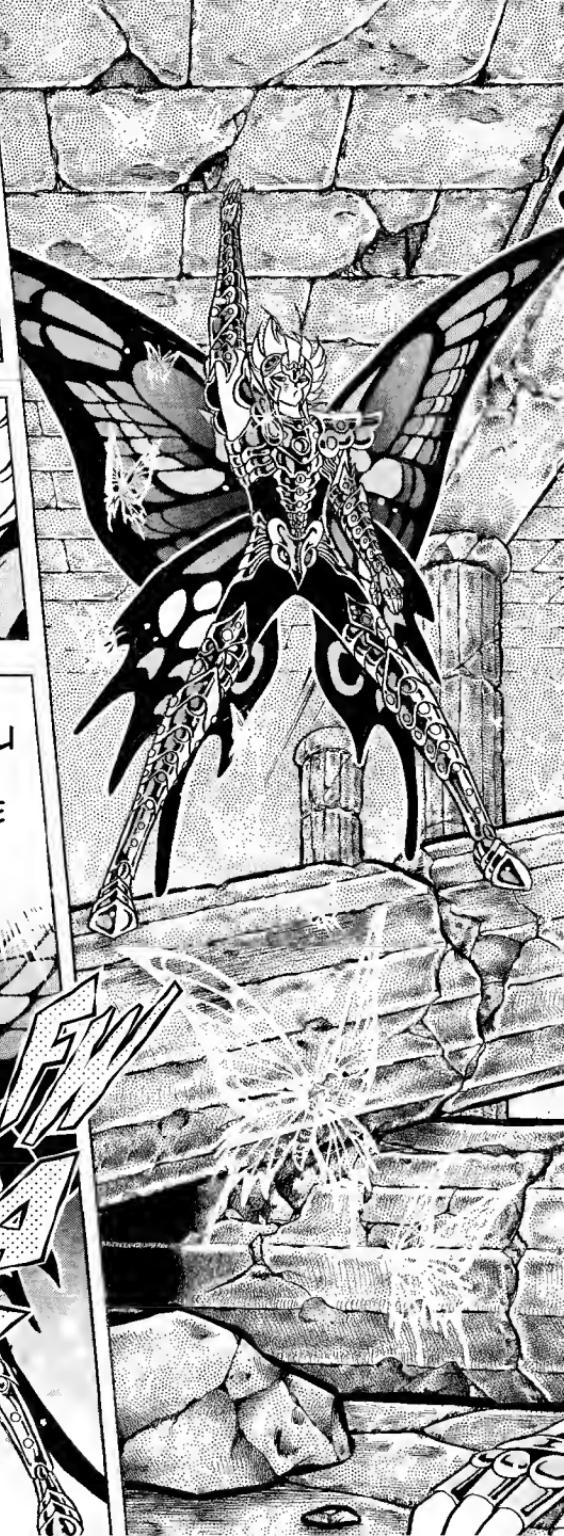




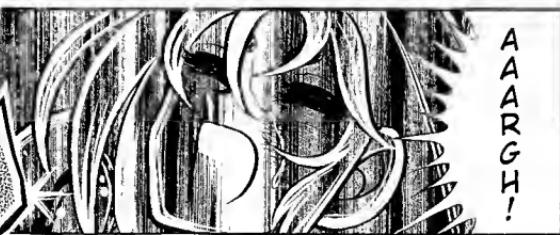
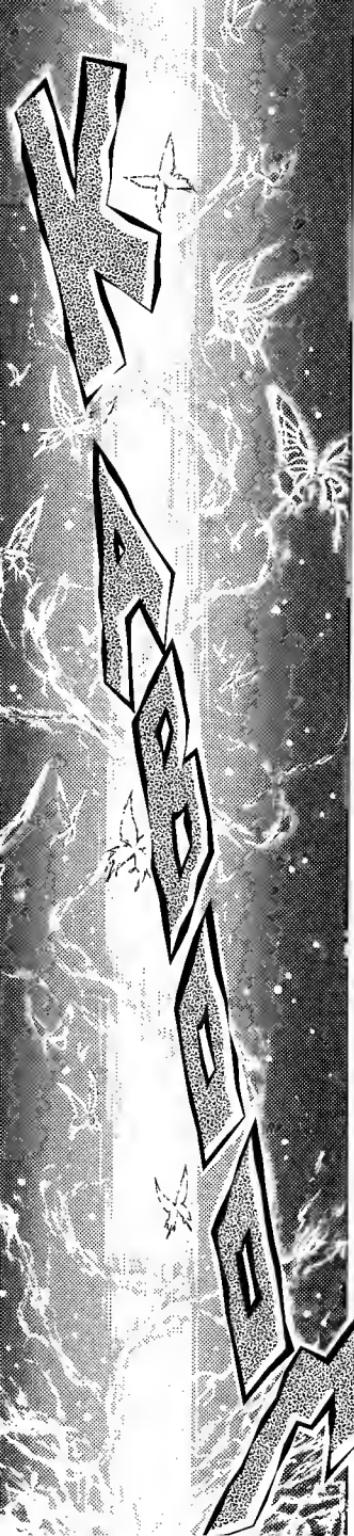
I'LL  
GIVE YOU  
CREDIT FOR  
SURVIVING  
THE FAERIE  
THRONG.

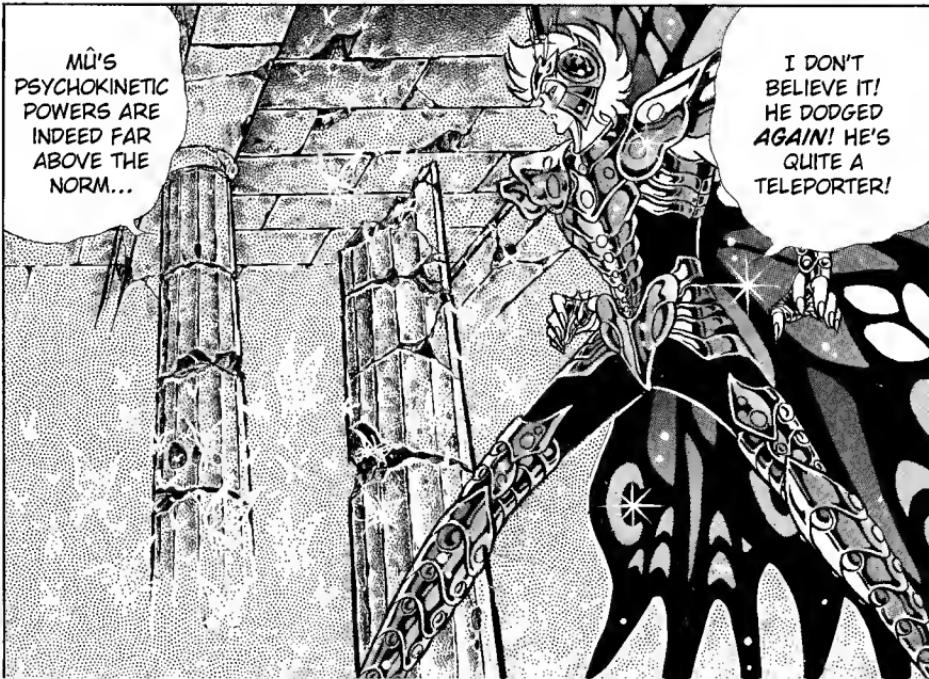
THIS  
TIME,  
MÜ, DIE  
FOR-  
EVER!

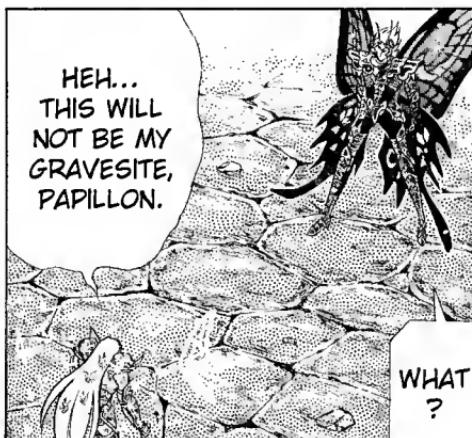
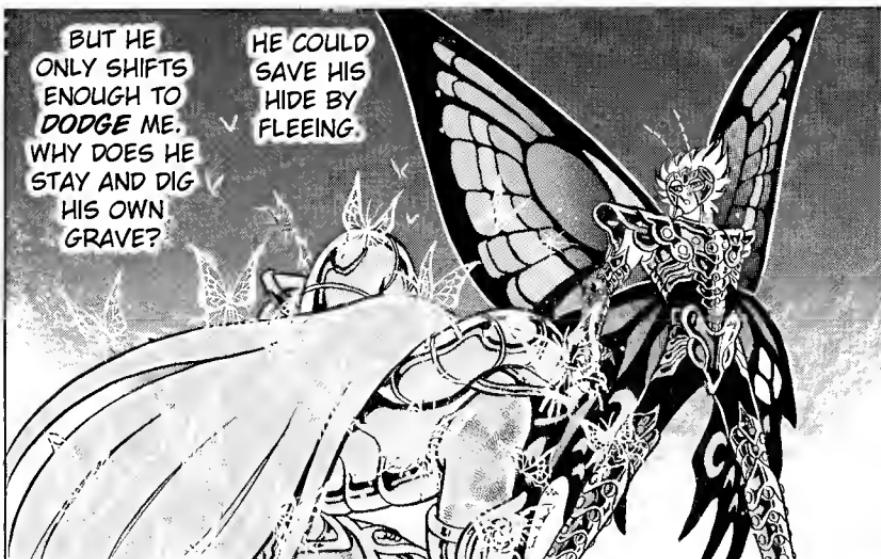
BUT YOU  
CAN'T  
ESCAPE  
TWICE!

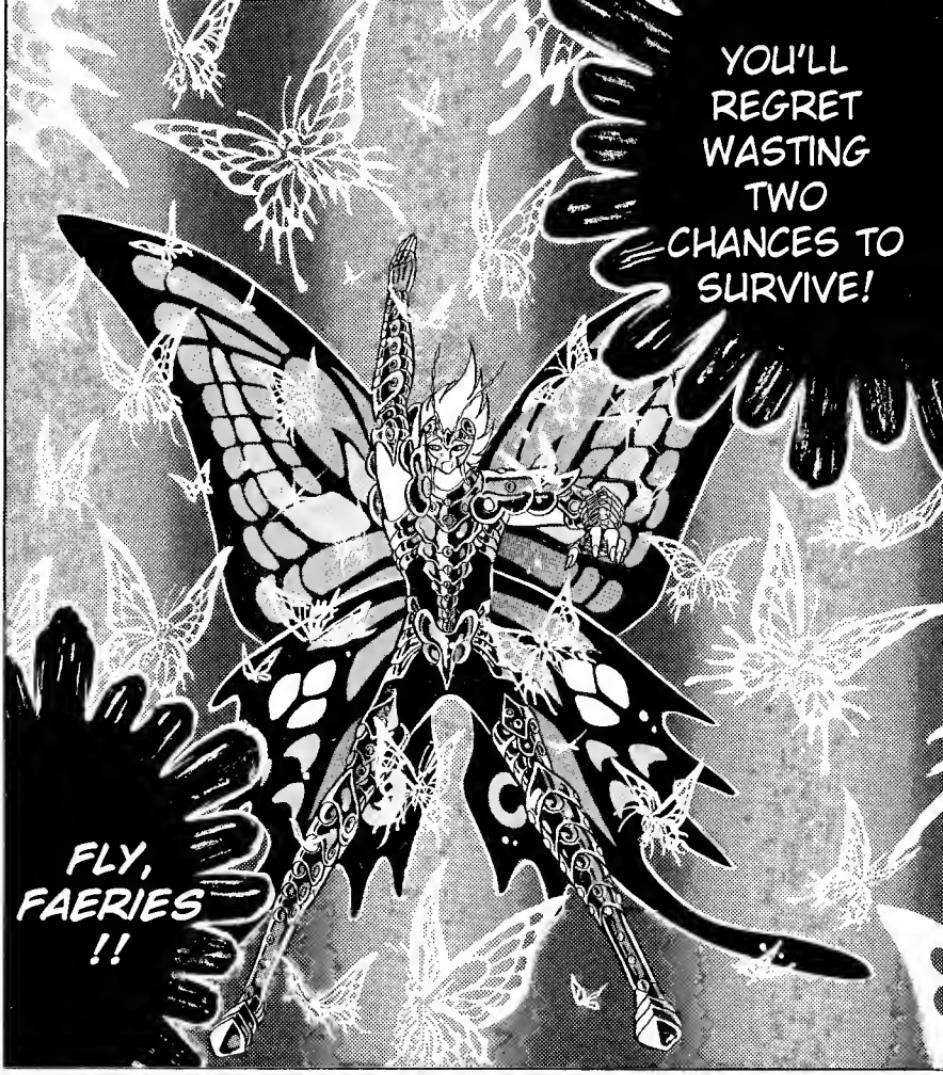












YOU'LL  
REGRET  
WASTING  
TWO  
CHANCES TO  
SURVIVE!

FLY,  
FAERIES  
!!



I HAVE  
PSYCHOKINETIC  
POWERS OF  
MY OWN!

EVEN  
IF I CAN'T  
MATCH YOUR  
TELEPORTATION,  
I WON'T LET  
YOU GET  
AWAY!

I SWEAR THAT  
THE NEXT PLACE  
YOU LAND WILL BE  
YOUR GRAVE!

UNH!

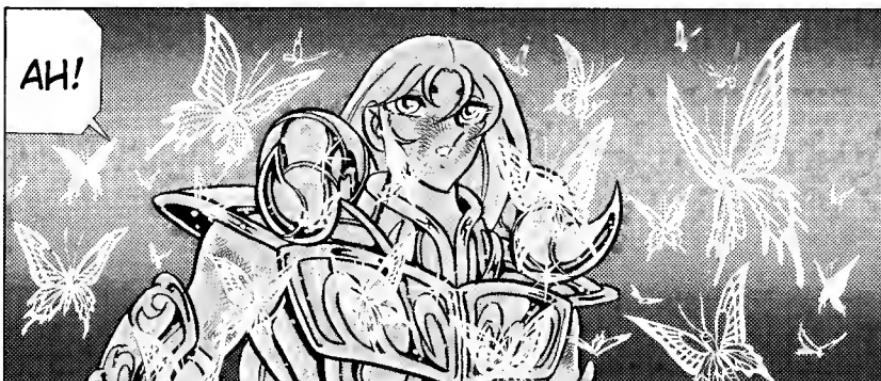
WHAT  
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CRY-  
TAL  
NET!!

YOU CAN'T  
DODGE MY  
ATTACKS NOW,  
PAPILLON.  
YOU'RE  
HELPLESS.

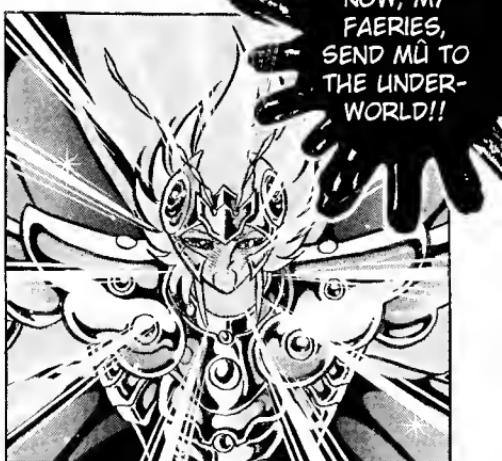




WE'RE  
LORD HADES'S  
ETERNALLY  
CHOSEN  
WARRIOR,  
PLEDGED TO  
PROTECT AND  
FIGHT FOR THE  
GOD OF THE  
UNDERWORLD!

WHEN THE  
108 STARS OF  
DARKNESS  
WERE REBORN,  
THE SPECTER  
SOULS THAT  
LAY DORMANT  
WITHIN US  
WERE  
AWAKENED!





WHY NOT LET  
YOUR FAERIES  
ESCORT YOU  
TO THE  
UNDERWORLD,  
PAPILLON?

NO!  
IT  
CAN'T  
BE!

AH!

MY  
FAERIES  
ARE CAUGHT  
IN THE  
CRYSTAL  
NET, TOO!



**STAR-  
LIGHT  
EXTINC-  
TION!!**

